

LOWELL DAY IN SUPREME
JUDICIAL COURT

German Imperial Chancellor
von Bethmann-Hollweg Sends
Resignation to the Kaiser

VICTORY FOR RUSSIANS
KALUSZ CAPTURED

Next Tuesday, July 17, will be Low-
ell day in the supreme judicial court
in Boston, for on that day four dif-
ferent hearings concerning the in-
stance of the city of Lowell will be
held. The last to appear in the time-
light being a petition filed with the
supreme judicial court by the mem-
bers of the new high school commis-
sion for the issuance of a writ of man-
damus to have City Treasurer Fred H.
Rourke recognize the commission as a
body duly appointed.

It will be remembered that the new
high school commission was organized
at a joint meeting of the members of
the school board and municipal council
on April 5, after a special act had
been passed by the legislature author-
izing the joint boards to elect a com-
mission composed of five members to
supervise the construction of the pro-
posed high school. Present at the
meeting on April 5 were the five mem-
bers of the school board and Mayor
James P. O'Donnell and Commissioner
James E. Connelley of the municipal
council. The men elected to serve on
the commission were Judge Frederic
A. Fisher, Arthur T. Safford, F. W.
Reilly, Dr. Joseph E. Lamontagne, and
R. E. O'Brien. The commission later
met and elected Judge Fisher as chair-
man and Mr. O'Brien as secretary.

On May 1, in answer to a request of three
members of the municipal council,

Messrs. Brown, Morse and Warnock,
City Solicitor William D. Regan rou-
ndered an opinion on the effect that
inasmuch as the majority of the mu-
nicipal council was not present at the
joint meeting, the election of the com-
mission was illegal. In the meantime
the members of the commission had
held meetings and approved work per-
formed by Architect Henry L. Rourke
and they also approved bills presented
by the New England Structural Co.
and the Concrete and Steel Products
Co. for the delivery of steel for the
proposed building. When the bills
were presented for payment at the
city treasurer's office City Treasurer
Rourke refused to O.K. them, acting
under the advice of the city solicitor.
Through their counsel, James J. Kar-
win, have petitioned the supreme ju-
dicial court for a writ of mandamus
to compel the city treasurer to pay the
bills of the two steel companies and
also to recognize the commission
as a duly appointed body, and to this
end a summons has been served upon
the city treasurer to appear in court
July 17.

The other hearings to be held at
the supreme judicial court on the same
date are in the following cases: Ed-
ward H. Boye vs. the municipal coun-
cil, Andrew G. Stiles vs. the municipal
council, and New England Structural Co.
vs. the Concrete and Steel Supply Co.,
vs. the city treasurer.

mann-Hollweg yesterday and received
his report on the political situation,
according to a semi-official despatch
from Berlin.

The chancellor also received vari-
ous party leaders yesterday afternoon.
says an official despatch from Berlin.

Kaiser Calls Crown Prince
BERNE, Switzerland, July 12.—
(British admiralty per wireless press.)
—An official communication issued in
Berlin yesterday says Emperor Wil-
helm expressed the opinion that the
political and constitutional reforms de-
manded by the reichstag are such that
his successor, inasmuch as they would
be permanent. For this reason the
emperor summoned the crown prince
to attend one or more crown councils
at which final decisions regarding the
extent to which the crown and the
government will make concessions to
the reichstag will be reached.

Gen. Brussloff's offensive in Galicia
is developing into a drive with little
or no let-up at least so far as the
part in it played by Gen. Korniloff's
armies is concerned.

Capture German Headquarters
Yesterday's news of the capture of
Halicz was followed today by the an-
nouncement that Gen. Korniloff's
troops had pushed on to, and Lestvika,
southwest of Stanislaw and reached
and occupied Kalusz, a city of 3000
population seven miles west of the
Stoka river. The Austro-German
headquarters in this sector was situ-
ated here.

Taken After Sanguinary Battle
Kalusz was stubbornly defended
but after a sanguinary battle the Rus-
sians, numbering 1500, fully armed,
according to advices from Petrograd, they
are continuing their advance after
having taken a large number of pris-
oners.

German Raid Driven Off
The German attack on Monday on
the Heligoland coast, which was the
capture of the small sector east of the
Yser which the Germans had devast-
ated with their intensive gunfire.
Neither last night's nor today's Rus-
sian official announcement records and
further fighting of moment in this
sector.

FRENCH REPULSED GERMANS.
PARIS, July 12.—After a violent
bombardment, the Germans tried sev-
eral surprise attacks during the night
on both banks of the Meuse, but were
repulsed, according to a statement is-
sued by the war office today.

Russians Capture Kalusz
PETROGRAD, July 12.—The Russian
have captured Kalusz, the headquar-
ters of the enemy in Galicia, according to
a semi-official announcement made to-
day.

According to information received at
the ministry of war the Russian troops
are continuing their successful ad-
vance and have taken a large number
of prisoners.

MANY LOWELL OUTINGS
TO THE BEACHES

"Hello, Mame! Bring your camera?"
"Yes-up, you bet; I want to get a
submarine if I can."
"But chance-O, here's the car at
last!"

And the car rolled into the square
and several hundred "Mames" and their
friends got aboard, and were off for
a day's outing at the beach. Today
was a general holiday as far as the
beach is concerned.

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KEYES IS CALLED FOR
FURTHER EXAMINATION

BEDFORD, July 12.—When the grand
jury resumed today its investigation
into the death of Mrs. Pauline Keyes
at Brookline on June 19, it was ex-
pected that the hearing of testimony
would be concluded before night. Dis-
t. Atty. Fred G. Katzmann had called the
woman's husband, George H. Keyes,
for further examination. Another wit-
ness, and probably the last to be called
was H. Allen Rutherford, detective-
sergeant of the Brookline police. Ruther-
ford assisted in the arrest of Miss
Ernest A. Varney, who is charged with
the murder of Mrs. Keyes.

The grand jury concluded the ex-
amination of Keyes shortly after 1
o'clock and it was stated a report
probably would be presented to the
court late today.

SENATE HAS TRADING
WITH ENEMY ACT

WASHINGTON, July 12.—The admin-
istration's trading with the enemy bill
is today in the hands of the senate
following its passage by a viva voce
vote by the house late yesterday.

The principal features of the bill in-
clude prohibitions against business in-
tercourse with nations which are
in a state of belligerency with the
United States and provision for
the seizure of property of alien enemies
and enemy persons.

The house was not in session today,
having recessed until Friday.

BRITISH LOSSES NEAR
NEUPOORT 1800

LONDON, July 12.—The total British
casualties resulting from the German
success near Neuport, Belgium, on
Tuesday, were about 1800, including
prisoners. These figures were given
by Maj. Gen. P. E. Maurice, chief di-
rector of military operations at the
war office today.

The action captured by the Ger-
mans said Gen. Maurice, who made his
statement in his weekly talk to the
Associated Press, was defended by
only two battalions of British. "The
German claim of 1250 prisoners he
considered probably accurate."

TEMPORARY MILK INSPECTOR

William W. Bennett has been ap-
pointed by Mayor O'Donnell temporary
milk and vinegar inspector, pending
the time that Inspector Melvin Mas-
ters, who is now serving Uncle Sam
in the National Guard returns to his
duties.

LONDON PAPERS ALARMED
AT SINN FEIN SUCCESS

LONDON, July 12.—The election of
Edward de Valera as member of par-
liament for East Clare, the third Sinn
Fein to be returned to parliament of
late is treated as an event of great
political consequence by the morning
newspapers, which devote considerable
space to the incident. The tendency
of the Unionist press, reflecting their
advice from Belfast and Dublin is to
emphasize what is always contended—
the folly of the government in liberat-
ing Sinn Fein prisoners and allowing
them to deal with revolutionary talk and
acts as they would be dealt with in
England. These papers regard the sit-
uation as gravely threatening, for they
see nothing in the Sinn Fein but re-
bellion. Another view is that the elec-
tion is a virtual disaster for the elec-
toral nationalist party, which, many
Irish people complain, held the country
for years in the dead hand of rigid
unflexible policy.

The Telegraph's parliamentary re-
porter says all the Irish sections of
the house of commons regard the re-
sult as virtually a death blow to the
nationalist party—the end of constitu-
tional agitation and the beginning of
nationalist seat outside of Dublin is
now safe.

ANTI-GAS MASK FOR
AMERICAN TROOPS

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Army or-
ders today disclose the fact that the
government and civilian experts are
hard at work on the production of an
effective anti-gas mask for American
troops. Major L. P. Williamson, of the
medical corps, has been ordered to
Pittsburg, Baltimore and New Haven
to inspect laboratory work in this
connection being done there.

SUPPLIES FOR AMERICAN
TROOPS WENT DOWN

NEW YORK, July 12.—War sup-
plies consigned to the American
troops in France went down with the
American steamship Kusan yesterday
reported sunk by a German subma-
rine. They were shipped by the na-
tional war work council of the Young
Men's Christian association, it was an-
nounced here today. They included
\$15,000 worth of flour, sugar, biscuits,
canning gum, tents, chairs, organs,
athletic equipment and other materi-
al. They will be duplicated as quick-
ly as possible, it was stated.

APPEAL TO WILSON TO
HASTEN FOOD BILL

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Democratic
leaders of the senate, finding it well
nigh impossible to reconcile conflict-



DR. VON BETHMANN-HOLLWEG

ELKS IN BIG PATRIOTIC
DEMONSTRATION

BOSTON, July 12.—Speaking today
at a patriotic demonstration by the
Benevolent and Protective Order of
Elks on Boston common United States
Senator James Hamilton Lewis of
Illinois, declared that every dollar that
America and every American had paid
in the war against
German oppression. The hour knows
no excuse nor forgives desertion nor
ever condones treason," he said. "Loy-
alty and service is the call of your
country and victory for America is the
order of Heaven."

Thousands of Elks from all parts
of the country took part in the cele-
bration, arranged as the big outdoor
feature of the annual convention.
There was a great outburst of ap-
plause with every reference by speak-
ers to America's determination to en-
ter the world war only with the loss
of honor.

MAJOR O'DONNELL DISMISSES
CHARGE BROUGHT AGAINST
PATROLMAN CULLEN

After reviewing the case of Thomas
McAndrews vs. Patrolman Jerome D.
Cullen Mayor O'Donnell this morning
found the patrolman not guilty of the
charges preferred against him. Mr.
McAndrews, at a hearing held before
the mayor at city hall Monday claimed
that Patrolman Cullen had violated
rule 19 of the police manual by using
language unbecoming an officer in
derogating him to move from the corner
of a street.

COMMISSIONER MORSE
IS GENEROUS

Assistant Engineer Harry R. Sprague
of the engineers' department at city
hall received the glad news this morn-
ing that, through the courtesy of Com-
missioner Morse, who is in the depart-
ment, his pay had been raised from
\$30.75 a week to \$55.50.

Mr. Sprague's work is in connection
with the paving of streets and he has
been connected with the engineer's de-
partment since June 1905. At a recent
meeting of the municipal council at the
request of Commissioner Morse, Mr.
Sprague gave a statement of the work
performed by the department this year
as compared with that of two or three
years previous, and it was shortly af-
ter the meeting, so it was stated, that
Commissioner Morse made up his mind
to increase Mr. Sprague's salary.

There are three other assistant en-
gineers in the department, but for the
present time are not as fortunate as
Mr. Sprague for their pay has not been
increased. Arthur Barlett has been
connected with the department as an
assistant engineer since 1904 and his
pay is \$30.75 a week. Hon. Frederick
W. Farnham has held the position of
assistant engineer for 25 years with
the exception of two years during
which time he was mayor of Lowell,
and he is still receiving \$30.75 a week.
Charles R. Preston has been in the de-
partment since 1903 and his pay is \$25
a week.

The highest paid man in the depart-
ment besides the engineer, however, is
William J. Gavan, who is receiving
\$36 a week and who appears on the
payroll as an inspector for the Pax-
tucket bridge.

Everybody who has read The Sun's
Sunday Supplement, published on Sat-
urday, has words of praise for it.

BRUTAL TREATMENT OF
DEPORTED BELGIANS

HAVRE, June 20.—(Correspondence
of The Associated Press)—The Bel-
gian government has received from
various sources evidence which an-
swers in every detail, proving that
deported Belgian civilians are sub-
jected systematically to mistreatment
to bring them to forced labor for the
German army.

This evidence exposes insufficient
nourishment, cruel punishment, brutal
intimidation and hard conditions of
labor under which a great many of
the deported civilians succumb while
a larger proportion return so reduced
and weakened that they are incapable
of physical effort.

This is the regime of the camp of
soldiers described by one of the men
who had been interned there and who
succeeded in escaping. In the morn-
ing a child of a half pound
assembling coffee and seeming to have
been made of acorns, at noon a half
litre of soup generally made of beans
but sometimes of potatoes. In the
evening a fifth of a litre of porridge
made of corn meal or barley; the ration
of bread is about a half pound
made of a mixture of
corn meal and rye. The interned are
never given meat, fish or cheese. In
century Baker. The evening meal was
suppressed altogether and even the
other meagre repasts were reduced
for those who refused to work for
the Germans.

Housewives of this city now look
forward to Friday's edition of an en-
tirely new edition of the Sun, which
each week in the Sunday Supplement
of The Sun, published each Saturday.

WOMEN ASKED TO JOIN
ANTI WASTE ARMY

The women who have volunteered
to enroll all the women of the city
under the banner of the Lowell wom-
en's unit of the national defence com-
mittee in the food conservation cam-
paign, and who are doing their utmost
to reach their goal for the date speci-
fied for the closing of the campaign,
July 15, received word from Wash-
ington, D. C., this morning asking
that the enrollment cards be in
Washington by July 15.

Inasmuch as only about 5000 names
have been secured thus far, a considerable
more to be done. The women, how-
ever, are willing and they will double
their activities in order to close the
campaign in due time and they re-
spectfully urge the housewives and
other women of the city who are over-
looking in lightening the work by send-
ing their names to the war work of-
fice in Merrimack street.

Thus far 5475 names have been se-
cured, this number being divided in
wards as follows: Ward one, 231;
ward two, 260; ward three, 260;
ward four, 550; ward five, 530;
ward seven, 475; ward eight, 560;
ward nine, 600.

Miss Charles Thayer of Boston, a
member of the national defence com-
mittee of Washington, D. C. was a vis-
itor at the office yesterday and
being informed of what was being
done in Lowell in the line of "re-
cruiting" women, she declared herself
pleased. She complimented the women
for their untiring efforts and the
success obtained and she urged
them to keep up the good work.

DEPORT 1000 MEMBERS
OF THE I.W.W.

PHOENIX, Ariz., July 12.—The
town of Bisbee has suspended busi-
ness and the citizens' protective
league, numbering 1500, fully armed,
rounded up 1000 members of the In-
dustrial Workers of the World, and
searched and loaded them in freight
and cattle cars. The men will be de-
ported.

Compelled to Move On
LINCOLN, Neb., July 12.—Members
of the Industrial Workers of the World
are coming to Nebraska in large num-
bers, and the police are being called
according to police officials. A band of
60 arrived on a freight train last night,
expecting to stop here, but the police
compelled them to continue their jour-
ney.

At Fairbury, Neb., 30 Industrial
Workers were placed on a freight train
and shipped out of town.

MILL HANDS STRIKE AT
MERRIMACK MFG. CO.

About 100 Greeks employed in the
cloth room of the Merrimack Mfg. Co.
went out on strike this forenoon be-
cause of dissatisfaction with the work
they were doing. The men were paid
a number of dollars in the forenoon
work in the latter part of the fore-
noon, while others did not come out
until noon. It is expected that the
trouble will be settled amicably when
representatives of both sides come to-
gether.

It was reported that several of the
other mills were having trouble with
strikers, but upon inquiry this was
denied by officials of the concern.

REPORT OF ATTENDANCE OFFICER
SHOWS BIG INCREASE IN WORK
CERTIFICATES

Chief Attendance Officer William F.
Thornton has compiled interesting
statistics concerning the issuance of
work certificates during the last week
in June and the first in July this
year as compared with the same peri-
od in 1916. The last week of June
showed 141 certificates issued, and
generally busy weeks in the office of the
attendance officers for as a rule many
children apply for vacation certifi-
cates.

The figures as given out are as fol-
lows:

Week ending June 30:	1916	1917
Employment, 14 to 16 yrs.	154	280
Educational, 16 to 21 yrs.	154	183
Illiterate, 16 to 21 yrs.	12	18
Vacation, 14 to 16 yrs.	24	19
Week ending July 7: <th>1916</th> <th>1917</th>	1916	1917
Employment, 14 to 16 yrs.	52	113
Educational, 16 to 21 yrs.	52	128
Illiterate, 16 to 21 yrs.	6	8
Vacation, 14 to 16 yrs.	20	22

Steel Men Agree to Supply All
Steel Needed for War Purposes
at Government's Price

are headed by Elbert H. Gary and con-
stitute a special committee of the
American Iron and steel institute.

President Wilson's statement, pub-
lished today, outlining his views on
the question of prices, has given all
manufacturers a definite outline of the
policy the government is following in
arriving at a fair rate of payment for
the war materials it needs. So far as
the present steel conference is con-
cerned, however, Secretary Baker de-
clared that the question of prices had
not been taken up and would not be
considered pending a report from the
federal trade commission.

The conference had more to do with
tonnage capacity and possible increase
in the output of the industry.

have been reached today by the chief
steel producers of the country in a con-
ference with Secretary Daniels and Sec-
retary Baker.

On their side the government repre-
sentatives assured the steel men that
reasonable profits would be included in
the price fixed and that provision also
would be made to care for the expan-
sion of the industry to meet new de-
mands.

The government also assured the
steel men that its war orders would be
distributed over the entire iron and
steel producing capacity of the country,
leaving no single producer or group of
producers to carry an unfair share of
the war burden.

Manufacturers participating in the
conference, which began yesterday,

Chailfoux's
CORNER

TODAY

Today we are going to enjoy
a day's vacation. It is the
CLERKS' ANNUAL OUTING,
and the store will be CLOSED
ALL DAY. We open at 8.30 To-
morrow morning feeling very
much refreshed and anxious to
serve you.

FOR 69 YEARS
City Institution
For Savings
Never paid less than
4%
Interest Begins July 14
CENTRAL STREET

**Steel Men Agree to Supply All
Steel Needed for War Purposes
at Government's Price**

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Formal an-
nouncement was made by Secretary
Baker today that an agreement had
been reached with representatives of
the American steel industry in confer-
ence here, under which the entire pro-
duction of the industry would be made
available for the government's war
purposes at a price to be determined on
the basis of a cost of production in-
quiry being conducted by the federal
trade commission.

Fix Price Later
WASHINGTON, July 12.—An agree-
ment to furnish the government all
steel needed for war purposes at a
price to be fixed later is understood to

WANTED

Teamsters to go to Ayer Junction
Training Camp, good pay and board,
work 7 days a week. No work but to
care for teams. Inquire Martin J.
Quinn, 927 Gorham st.

**Cherries
and Peas**

The subject for demonstration
at the GAS APPLIANCE
STORE, 198 Merrimack St.,
TOMORROW afternoon at
2.30 o'clock will be the can-
ning of CHERRIES and
PEAS. Cherries are ripe.
Peas are in the pod. Friday
afternoon at 2.30.

U. S. STEAMER KANSAN SUNK BY U-BOAT

WASHINGTON, July 12.—State department dispatches late yesterday announced the destruction of the American steamer Kansan by a German submarine said that four members of the crew were missing, but that all of the armed naval guard were safe.

All were reported landed except the following members of the crew, who are considered lost: First Asst. Engineer J. M. Murphy, American; F. Aguirre, English; A. E. Kun of Honolulu and G. Haman of Singapore. The Kansan carried a crew of 50 men.

She is supposed to have been sunk off the coast of France.

ARMY REDUCES WEIGHT AND HEIGHT LIMITS

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Small men make as good soldiers as big men, in the revised opinion of the war department, which has instructed recruiting stations to open the ranks of the regular army to men of no more than five feet one inch in height and who weigh only 110 pounds.

The order was issued on the basis of a recommendation made by Surgeon Gen. George B. Goetz, who stated that men were being kept out by the minimum height and weight limit of five feet four inches and 130 pounds.

As a matter of fact, however, recruiting officers had been instructed not to enforce rigidly the height and weight minimum limits, and there are a considerable number now in the army who are below the five-foot-four requirement.

The new orders will have a wide effect in National Guard recruiting, and probably in selections for the national army. Regular army standards govern both of these services in a general way.

The regular army still was short some 40,000 men when recruiting closed yesterday, only 1275 men having been accepted during the day. Vermont added two men, making 87 furnished from that state since April 1 on a quota of 710.

OFFICERS OF NATIONAL GUARD GO TO SCHOOL

BOSTON, July 12.—Officers of the National Guard not yet drafted they will attend a ten days' training school at Wakefield, starting on Saturday. The instruction will be supervised by Acting Adj. Gen. E. Leroy Sweetser.

MR. MCADOO WANTS LIBERTY LOAN MACHINE KEPT INTACT— THANKS MASS. COMMITTEE

BOSTON, July 12.—That the government wishes preserved intact for future use the splendid machine created for the disposal of Liberty Bonds was indicated in a letter of glowing praise received yesterday from Secretary of the Treasury William G. McAdoo by Mrs. Barrett Wendell, chairman of the Liberty Loan committee for this state. The letter reads as follows:

"Permit me to extend to you, and through you to each member of your Liberty Loan committee, my warm thanks and appreciation of the patriotic service you rendered your country in connection with the Liberty Loan of 1917. The result could not have been accomplished without the effective aid of such patriotic citizens as yourself and the members of your committee."

"I also take this opportunity to express the hope that you will preserve your admirable organization intact, that I may have your assistance again when the government has to place additional issues of bonds."

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BOARD OF TRADE OUTING

The annual outing of the board of trade will be held this year August 2. The beaches have been chosen as this year's objective, and the plan as marked out yesterday is for members to leave Lowell by one of the forenoon express trains to Boston, go to Rowe's wharf, and from there to take the 12.15 Nantasket boat down the harbor to Pemberton. Here dinner will be served at the Pemberton Inn, and in the afternoon an excursion will be made to Nantasket. This plan is only tentative, but if carried out will give the members a more varied day than has been the rule in previous years.

At Pemberton there is a brand new swimming pool with real ocean water, and an ideal baseball park. These features will offer the opportunity for a day of thorough enjoyment. And then the many amusement places at Nantasket beach will also provide pleasure. There will be no speakers in previous board of trade affairs, and the occasion will be a "come and go" affair so far as the members are concerned. Some have expressed preference of going by auto rather than by train, and for those who do this the committee in charge wishes to warn them to arrive at Pemberton at 1.15 at the latest, so all may enjoy the dinner together.

Tickets will be placed on sale at a later date, and these must be applied for at or before a certain specified time to be announced later in order that arrangements may be completed in advance.

FORMER CZAR HAS ONLY \$4,200,000 AND WANTS RUSSIA TO SUP- PORT HIM

PETROGRAD, July 12.—Ex-Emperor Nicholas has appealed to the provisional government to allow him and the members of his family to acquire stock in the "Loan of Freedom."

The ex-emperor announces that the amount of their investment in the loan depends upon whether the Russian state intends to support his family or not. He adds that of his own rubles (normally \$450,000), his wife 1,000,000 rubles (\$200,000), his heir, Alexei, 1,000,000, his daughter, Olga, 2,000,000, and his other children between 1,000,000 and 2,000,000 rubles (total \$4,200,000).

CALL AMERICAN EXPORT RESTRICTIONS UNJUST AND CRUEL TO SMALL NEUTRALS

COPENHAGEN, July 12.—Further complaint of American export restrictions being unjust and cruel to small neutrals, tending to foster starvation and entering the war, is made by the semi-official newspaper Politiken. The demand that American products shall neither directly nor indirectly contribute to the advantage of the Germans can only be fulfilled if all economic relations with Germany are severed, and the Copenhagen paper, which cites an article from a Washington paper and Controller Hoover's statement to prove the "brutality" back of American policy.

DYERKISS TOILET SPECIALTIES

Talcum Powder 30c Extract, oz.....\$1.25
Toilet Water.....\$1.50 Sachet.....80c
Face Powder.....50c

The Bon Marche

DRY GOODS CO.

IVORY MANICURE ARTICLES

Files, Cuticle Knives, Shoe Horns and Button Hooks. Regular price 60c. Priced..... **25c**

Sale of Toilet Goods, Ivory and Stationery

Interesting Items Specially and Very Attractively Priced are Quoted Here

COMPLETE STOCK OF BATHING CAPS

From **25c to 98c**

AMERICAN FLAG SEALS

100 in pkg, 10c value. Priced **5c**

Stationery

Odd Initial Cards, value 25c box. Priced.... **2 for 25c**

Scotch Madras Stationery, 35c value, 1 lb. pkg. **25c**

Envelope to match, 3 pkgs. for **25c**

Potter's White Hand for removing dirt, **15c can, 2 for 25c**

"ILENE" BRAND TOILET GOODS

Almond Meal for bleaching skin. Cucum-her Cream for sunburn. Benzoin Almond Lotion. Poudre de rig, in white, flesh and pink. Pyroxide Tooth Powder. Pyroxide Tooth Paste. Deodorant Cream for perspiration.

Violet and Witch Hazel Lotion, Rose Water and Glycerine Lotion, Antiseptic mouth wash, Antiseptic Shaving Lotion, Liquid Egg Shampoo, Bay Rum, 57% alcohol, Cold Cream, Motor Cream, Peroxide Cream, Carmenoita Beauty Cream.

Regular Price 25c For This Sale **17c**

Ivory Goods

75c Ivory Combs.....49c
\$1.25 Puff Boxes.....98c
\$1.25 Hair Receivers.....88c

Colgate's Toilet Articles

Florient Extract, oz.....\$1.00
Florient Toilet Water.....75c
Florient Talcum Powder.....25c
Charmis Cold Cream.....25c
Charmis Face Powder.....25c
Eclat Perfume, oz.....50c
Eclat Talcum Powder.....15c
Eclat Face Powder.....25c
Eclat Toilet Water.....50c, 75c

HAIR BRUSH 25c

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Vivodou's Peroxide Tooth Paste..... **25c**

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Mavis Toilet Water.....75c
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DELAY DRAWING FOR NEW ARMY

Postponement Till Next Week
Due to Failure of States to
Complete Work

Lowell's Draft Quota About
781—Two-Thirds of One
Per Cent. to be Drawn

NEW ENGLAND DRAFT QUOTAS	
Massachusetts	26,263
Connecticut	11,464
Maine	4,310
Rhode Island	3,822
New Hampshire	2,693
Vermont	1,976

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Postponement until next week of the drawing of numbers of men who will be called for examination for the national army seemed probable yesterday, when it became evident that states are not completing organization of their district examination boards as rapidly as war department officials had hoped.

Only 21 states have reported their organization complete, although in most others only a few districts are missing.

The drawing will not be made until the lists for the country are complete.

A so-called revised census estimate for the entire country, compiled on the basis of the draft registration, will be for determining apportionments. Each city, county or state must furnish two-thirds of 1 per cent of its population, according to the new estimates, which were made for the purpose of equalizing the draft rather than to represent accurate population totals.

Better Fair Basis Found

Thus Boston, with an estimated population of 528,373, must give 14,668 of 667,000 young men to be called on the first draft. A city with 25,000 population would be required to give 166 men. These apportionments would be subject to slight allowances for alien enemies for men who have volunteered and for other causes.

The population estimates, far from attempting to show actual population, simply are improved figures reached by considering the number of registrants in each subdivision at 3.32 of the population, and actual number registered, 3,659,352 was 0.32 per cent of the total estimated population, 10,635,300.

The process resulted in large dummy population showing for cities with war industries where there has been a recent inflow of workmen without their families. Since the figures are based on the number of men available for military service, however, officials consider the estimates fair as a basis of apportionment.

Dummy Population Estimates

Plans for exemption of any man need not be made by him, but may be entered by a wife, other dependent, em-

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ploye or any other third person, the provost marshal-general's office explained in a statement. It also explained that any registered man absent from his home district need not return for physical examination, but may be ordered by his home board to be examined elsewhere.

The dummy population estimates by states included: Connecticut, 1,719,623; Massachusetts, 3,659,352; Maine, 436,583; New Hampshire, 402,847; New York, 11,187,798; Rhode Island, 573,583; Vermont, 2,693,428.

Estimates of the leading cities are as follows: New York, 5,501,185; Chicago, 3,439,957; Philadelphia, 2,060,021; Detroit, 1,521,942; Cleveland, 1,155,440; Boston, 828,673; St. Louis, 821,264; Pittsburgh, 722,425; Baltimore, 626,964; Buffalo, 606,384; San Francisco (and county), 586,333; Milwaukee, 531,011; Newark, 469,387; Los Angeles, 454,627; Kansas City, 451,577.

Other city estimates are as follows: Bridgeport, 273,908; Hartford, 180,697; New Britain, 76,842; New Haven, 201,481; Stamford, 147,747; Waterbury, Conn., 113,120; Portland, Me., 120,730; Chelsea, 82,230; Chicago, 82,715; Everett, 49,597; Fall River, 113,455; Holyoke, 71,562; Lawrence, 104,639; Lowell, 117,264; Lynn, 15,498; Malden, 43,315; Melrose, 32,837; New Bedford, 134,592; New Bedford, 134,592; Quincy, 47,518; Pittsfield, 45,491; Salem, 41,645; Somerville, 33,582; Springfield, 161,674; Taunton, 36,812; Manchester, N.H., 89,849; Providence, 230,652; Woonsocket, R.I., 14,946.

Delay in New York

NEW YORK, July 12.—Unless the exemption boards in this city appointed in connection with the selective draft law speed up their work for the next few days fear was expressed here today that the actual work of the draft might be seriously delayed.

With the receipt here recently of the list of names of those who would be members of each of the 139 exemption boards in this city, it developed today that many mistakes would be made in the appointment. So far as could be determined today, only two district boards had completed their work of numbering the registration cards.

Family Can Ask Exemption

WASHINGTON, July 12.—To clear up

misunderstanding, Provost Marshal General Crowder issued a statement yesterday explaining that in some cases regulations for the draft a claim for exemption may be filed not only by the registered person himself, but by members of his family, or any third party with knowledge of the facts in his case.

ELKS' "TEXTILE DAY" TOMORROW

All is in readiness for the Elks' "Textile Day" tomorrow, and from prospects at present the occasion is to be a gala one. Last night the committee in charge of the day held its final meeting, and plans were perfected for the reception of the visitors tomorrow. Approximately 700 are expected if the weather is favorable, but nothing definite is known. The Elks have been asked to register in Boston if they intend to come to Lowell tomorrow, but a number of these will probably fail to turn out. However, preparations have been made for any number who wish to come.

The visitors will arrive in Lowell at 9.45, and will be met at the station by the local lodge with a bevy of automobiles which have been offered by the members for the day. The machines will be patriotically decorated, and the members will be divided in their Palm beach suits. The reception committee will be divided into five divisions with a member of the automobile committee heading each. Samuel Scott will head the first division, which will rest in the alcove of the station in Middlesex street. John J. Lee, P.E.R., will have charge of the second, resting on the Thorndike street hill. Daniel O'Donoghue will head the third, resting on the Richardson street hill. Harry Pitts will head the fourth division, resting in front of the Richardson hotel. Harry Pitts will head the fifth division, extending down Middlesex street from Thorndike.

The route of sightseeing and inspection, which has been mapped out, is as follows: Thorndike street, to Highland, across Gorham, to Elm, to Foster square, to Wamsit, to Rogers, to Fort Hill park, to Fairmount, to Summit, to Manser, to Wentworth avenue, to Anderson, to Frank, to East Main, to Merrimack and to the Pawtucket boulevard, where the filtration plant will be inspected; returning to the Textile school, which will receive an inspection, and back to the rooms of the Elks in Middle street.

At the club rooms a luncheon will be served, and an entertainment enjoyed. Later in the afternoon the Massachusetts mills will be visited, and the return to Boston will be made early in the evening.

All that is needed to make the day a success is good weather, and if this is provided Lowell and Elks especially will enjoy an unprecedented good time.

EMMA GOLDMAN, ANARCHIST, TO BE PUT TO WORK IN OVERALL FACTORY

ST. LOUIS, July 12.—Emma Goldman, sentenced in federal court at New York on Monday to two years in the Missouri state prison for seeking to obstruct the enforcement of the army draft law, arrived in St. Louis yesterday morning on her way to Jefferson City. According to a report from the penitentiary, Miss Goldman will be put to work in the overall factory.

HELD FOR EXPLOSION

WOODLAND, Cal., July 12.—J. Koslowski, a Russian Pole arrested at Esposito, is held as a suspect in connection with the Mare Island navy yard explosion last Monday. Koslowski is 22 years old and was refused admission to the Marine corps several weeks ago.

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Cowan, H. R., 11 Midland st.
Crawford, H. R., 11 Midland st.
Centralville Garage, 32 West Third st.
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Smith, E. E., Co., 47 Market st.
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BILLERICA, MASS.
Casey, Frank
Leitch, North Billerica
Pinehurst Garage
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Shawheen Garage
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North Billerica Garage

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Emerson & Byam, Chelmsford
Marshall, Walter, Chelmsford
Kerr, Geo. C., North Chelmsford
Painhurst, S. W., Chelmsford
Painhurst, E. B., South Chelmsford
Shepherd, Geo. E., North Chelmsford

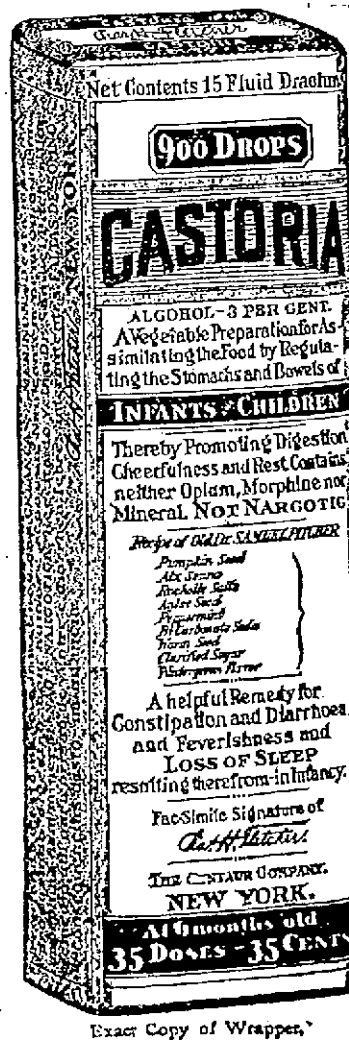
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Dr. Gustave A. Elsengraeber, of St. Paul, Minn., says: "I have used your Castoria repeatedly in my practice with good results, and can recommend it as an excellent, mild and harmless remedy for children."

Dr. D. J. Dennis, of St. Louis, Mo., says: "I have used and prescribed your Castoria in my sanitarium and outside practice for a number of years and find it to be an excellent remedy for children."

Dr. S. A. Buchanan, of Philadelphia, Pa., says: "I have used your Castoria in the case of my own baby, and find it pleasant to take, and have obtained excellent results from its use."

Dr. J. B. Simpson, of Chicago, Ill., says: "I have used your Castoria in cases of colic in children and have found it the best medicine of its kind on the market."

Dr. R. E. Eskildson, of Omaha, Neb., says: "I find your Castoria to be a standard family remedy. It is the best thing for infants and children I have ever known and I recommend it."

Dr. L. R. Robison, of Kansas City, Mo., says: "Your Castoria certainly has merit. It is not its age, its continued use by mothers through all these years, and the many attempts to imitate it, sufficient recommendation? What can a physician add? Leave it to the mothers."

Dr. Edwin F. Pardee, of New York City, says: "For several years I have recommended your Castoria and shall always continue to do so, as it has invariably produced beneficial results."

Dr. N. B. Silver, of Brooklyn, N. Y., says: "I object to what are called patent medicines, where makers alone know what ingredients are put in them, but I know the formula of your Castoria and advise its use."

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THE SPELLBINDER

Last Sunday evening about dusk, upon meeting Supt. of Parks Kernan driving along High street toward the downtown district, I inquired where he had been enjoying the day, assuming that he had been on a pleasure trip.

"I've just been making my usual visit to see if my babies had gone to bed," was his reply, and by further questioning I learned that since the outbreak of the war, the superintendent has been making daily visits there to look after their well-being, making his appearance at sunset when the animals are about to retire for the night. One of them, it will be remembered, is being fed on a nursing bottle. Getting into the machine I made a tour with him of some of Lowell's parks that are so diminutive as to be overlooked as such, by the ordinary citizen, but which demand the careful attention of the enthusiastic superintendent. "By going around now I'll be saved a trip at the morning, for I want to see which needs the grass cut here, the men go to work in the morning," said the superintendent. Among the places we visited were Parker-Spalding park in the Highlands which boasts of 0.43 acres, and which is valued by the assessors at \$50; Princeton square, with .025 acres and a valuation of \$150; Hillside park, of .061 acres and a valuation of \$30, and a few others, which put all together would fit into some back yards in Lowell. People are wont to poke fun at Varnum park as Lowell's most diminutive park, but Varnum park has 136 acres and is valued at \$60, while Hovey Square park has but .010 acres and is valued at \$50. These little plots don't amount to much, but as the park department keeps them, some planted with flowers; others with attractive shrubbery and more with well kept grass plots, they all serve a good purpose in relieving the monotony of the city's streets and their junctions.

Water Department Parks
But there is another park system in Lowell with which Supt. Kernan does not concern himself but which is kept in apple-pie order by another enthusiastic gardener. Mr. Harry Nicholls, the hustling gardener of the water department, has a number of parks, Mr. Nicholls understands his business and likes his work, and hence the water department parks are beauty spots in the city.

All the lands that the water department must keep free from buildings for the protection of the water service itself, and instead of remaining vacant lots they have been turned into attractive little parks. In addition to these there is the park surrounding the big reservoir on the top of Centralville hill. This has been a favorite resort for residents of that section in hot weather by the arrangement of the water department.

The course is in closed to the public on account of the war and is guarded day and night, as are all of the reservoirs and the big reservoir surrounding the city. From the street entrance a stairway leads up to the gate-house and this is rendered most attractive by the arrangement of the water department.

On either side at the bottom of the stairway, four on either side along the incline, are the banks of rich green and the park presents a strikingly attractive appearance. Over in Centralville also, at the Sixth street station, the approaches to the pumping station are rendered most attractive by the artistic arrangement of cannaes and geraniums in huge beds.

The course of the great tunnel which carries the water from the boulevard wells to the Merrimack river

where it crosses the river to reach the pumping station on the other side is marked by a series of very attractive small parks. The tunnel runs along the boulevard to Starbird street, across to Woodward avenue and White street, across Moody to Conduit street to the river.

Pleasant Fels Park
Mr. Nicholls claims for Fels park the distinction of being one of the prettiest natural parks in the state. Fels park, named after the late August Fels, a member of the old water board for a number of years, is located in Riverside street near the property of P. O'Hearn. While small, it has graceful slopes and a narrow shrubbery and three full beds of cannaes add to its attractiveness. Charlotte park, named in honor of George Charlotte, the naval hero whose home is nearby, lies between Gorham and Gardner avenues and at the present time the water department is constructing a concrete walk across the two avenues, across this park, at the request of a large number of citizens residing in the neighborhood. The park has been fenced in as a sort of short cut was afforded by crossing it some people have been known to break down the fences to get across, which suggests the concrete walk as a remedy for this lawlessness. Across from Charlotte park is Long Meadow, not a golf links, but another possession of the water department which is sown with grass.

At the gate-house at Varnum avenue and Starbird streets one will find notice passing motorists pause to admire the spot which is resplendent with salvia and geraniums and close cropped lawns. And when the motorists get up the boulevard to where the red tiled roof of the pumping station greets their eyes, they pause again to admire, for the pumping station and its surroundings of lawns and flower beds are a treat to the lover of the beautiful.

At Cushing Farm
Cushing farm, so-called, with its deserted house and barn, broad acres and generous woodland, is property owned by the water department and used as a protection to the wells. It seems a pity that this fine old place couldn't be put to more practical use, but the experts say no and they know. Some day, passersby along

the boulevard will see a fine pine woods on the vacant land on Cushing farm, some day.

Within a short time some 15,000 baby trees have been planted on the farm, for the protection of the water shed, and they are all coming along nicely, according to Mr. Nicholls.

Now some two or three feet high. The water department's park system is sufficient to keep the city beautiful throughout the year, but during its leisure time, he works in his own garden in Varnum avenue and is probably the champion strawberry raiser within the city's limits.

What Putnam Did
Recently in an item relative to paving, commenting upon the appearance of the turn-up pavement at Merrimack and Dutton streets, I mentioned that Commissioner Morse laid the first permanent pavement of this kind in Lowell.

Now I am reminded by a correspondent that the present form of granite block construction for the city street department under Supt. Putnam of Lowell is called the 4-inch block on a concrete base and that this kind of construction was begun by the street department in 1903.

In 1903, Mr. Putnam changed the size of the block used in construction from the six to the four-inch, at a saving to the city of about \$100,000. He also changed the job in Central street, and hence established the four-inch block as the proper kind to use.

It is interesting to note, says my correspondent, "that the street department of the past will verify it, that under Mr. Putnam, in 1903, the first bituminous macadam streets laid by the city were built, namely, Smith and Common streets. This kind of work was not started in 1914 as was stated at a recent meeting of the municipal council."

No Discrimination
In explaining why he purchased the Auburn car for the chief of the fire department, Commissioner Morse is reported as having said that Mr. Morrill had never sold any cars to the city, and he didn't want to discriminate against any dealers.

As we are to infer that the commissioner is going to purchase a car from each of the reputable dealers in town, Mr. Brown also intimated that later on he will purchase another automobile for the use of Assistant Superintendent Gardner. Won't that same spirit of fairness and non-discrimination prompt him to purchase a car for Mr. Edward Boyle, who is also an assistant superintendent?

Another Had Corner
Overlooking the fact that directly in front of St. Peter's church in Gorham street is the large sign, "Bad Corner," these signs recently placed in different parts of the city are quite badly needed in many instances and serve a good purpose. The residents of Wilder street at the foot of the street, overlooking the city, take some signs such as "Slow Down" or "End of Boulevard" placed in Princeton street near Wilder or some day, a had accident is going to take place there, involving six automobiles and one motorcycle have gone onto the sidewalk, damaging the fences and more are likely to meet with similar experience. The would-be take along Princeton street at great speed and as the street comes to a sudden end and runs into a narrow roadway, such as in Wilder street, there is a little opportunity to make the turn in safety if a machine is going fast. Many signs are surely needed there. As yet, no signs have been placed in the street, although people alighting from street cars have some rights in the roadway, notwithstanding the fact that an example was made of one of these recently. When a car stops to allow a passenger to alight, any approaching auto must come to a stop, but many of them do not, and passengers' safety is placed in jeopardy.

Tomorrow Will Be Elks' Day
It is expected that 1600 Elks will come to Lowell tomorrow and will lodge here and make elaborate plans for the entertainment of the visitors, local pride and Lowell's reputation for hospitality should cause all to assist in whatever manner they can. Under the visiting brothers are away with a fine opinion of the city.

Fruit and Vegetable Thieves
Now the fruit and vegetable thieves are beginning to go about, and house-owners are warned to be on the lookout for them. Already complaints have been heard from Belvidere, where an immense territory is covered by two police officers during the day. Twenty police officers when the territory within the city limits, was not so large nor as thickly populated, the Belvidere section was patrolled by a mounted policeman. The mounted policeman gave way to the "bicycle cop," who could cover more territory than the man on the horse and was in being supplied by the motor-cyclist officer, who beats them all for speed. But even the motorcycle officer is fast though he may be, cannot be in two places at the same time. Detectives past a sign can be to others, the first of these vegetable and fruit thieves brought into court will be severely dealt with and every man, woman or child who has been worked by the motor-cyclist officer, who beats them all for speed, will be severely dealt with. The past is made by mixing some water with a little powdered delatone. This is applied to the hairs and after 5 or 10 minutes removed, the skin washed, when it will be left clear and hairless. Be sure you buy real delatone.

IN LOWELL
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Everyone is thinking of the high cost of living and it is the duty of the people to economize in their purchases and try and get the most for their money and the Fashion Millinery is the place where you can get the greatest value for every dollar you spend for millinery. If you are looking for values you will make no mistake if you read this advertisement and then call and see the distance a dollar will go at the Fashion Millinery Store.

SPECIAL MARK DOWN SALE FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Trimmed Hats, \$4, \$6, \$8, for.....\$2, \$3
Untrimmed Shapes.....69c, 89c
Panamas.....98c
Sport Hats.....98c, \$1.49, \$1.98, \$2.98
Fine Italian Milan Shapes, \$6.49, \$7.49. To close.....\$5.00

Also a Full Line of Choice Sweaters at Reduced Prices
P. S.—WE ARE SHOWING A LINE OF SUMMER FURS AND SWEATERS AT REDUCED PRICES.

THE FASHION

115 MERRIMACK STREET

HONOR LOWELL GIRL AT BEAUTY CONTEST

Who is Lowell's fairest maid? That question will be decided by impartial judges at the Beauty Contest of the big dancing carnival at the Casino tomorrow evening when the many rivals for the beauty prize will compete for the honor of being called "Miss Lowell" and for the three prizes which are offered. The first prize is the winner's choice of a loving cup or a diamond ring; the second winner may choose between a diamond pendant and a



MISS LOUISE LAFFELY One of the Possible Winners at Beauty Contest

bracelet watch, while the winner of the third prize will receive a loving cup. Many have already entered up to date by sending their names and photos by mail to Edward F. Quinn, 13 Lagrange court, who is putting on this event which is the first of its kind in Lowell. The interest caused by this contest is keen among the many friends of the numerous entrants, and while a large number have already entered, admission there is plenty of chance for others to step in now and win the coveted prizes. The more the merrier. All who come will wish they had entered. There is but one way to avoid such regrets, and that is enter the contest and win a prize.

GATHERING STATISTICS

James Hickoy, a representative of the federal bureau of statistics is at city hall gathering statistics for his department.

DEATHS

WINNING—Hazel I. Winning died yesterday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Winning, in South Chino, aged 17 years, 2 months and 28 days.

ROY—Mrs. Eleanor (Germain) Roy, wife of Damase Roy, aged 66 years, died early yesterday morning at 11 Dame avenue after a lingering illness. She leaves, besides her husband, three sons, Alfred, Octavo and Eugene, all of whom are in the army. Also Mrs. Marcotte and Mrs. Barrette, both of Lowell, and Mrs. Landry of Nashua, N. H. The body was removed to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Marcotte, 28 Ford street.

FUNERALS

LEFEVRE—The funeral of Raymond Lefevre, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Lefevre, took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock at St. Joseph's church, 223 West Sixth street. Burial was in the family lot in St. Joseph's cemetery, under the direction of Undertakers Joseph Albert & Sons.

MAGUIRE—The funeral of Thos. J. Maguire took place this morning at 8:40 o'clock from the undertaking rooms of James W. McKenna, 118 Bridge street. The cortege proceeded to St. Michael's church where at 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Francis J. Mullin. The bearers were Messrs. John Maguire, Bernard Maguire, Hugh Maguire and Mr. Gaffney. Interment was in St. Patrick's cemetery where Rev. Fr. Mullin read the committal prayers. Funeral Director James W. McKenna in charge.

NEWS OF THE DAY IN POLICE COURT

Joseph C. Wood appeared before Judge Pickman in police court this morning on a complaint charging him with violating the automobile law by going away without giving his name and number after knowingly injuring Agnes Garland, aged seven years. Mr. Wood entered a plea of not guilty, but the court, after considering the evidence, found him guilty and sentenced him to the house of correction for 30 days. Mr. Wood appealed and was held under \$200 for his appearance in superior court to move to set aside the verdict and to go on his personal recognizance.

According to the testimony offered, Mr. Wood was operating his machine through Gorham street on June 25th and upon turning into South Fifth street struck the child, knocking her down and injuring her. Several witnesses testified to seeing the accident and that Mr. Wood did not stop his machine to make any inquiry, but said "she's all right," and then drove away.

Mr. Wood and another witness testified that the machine was traveling at the rate of about three or four miles an hour and that the child ran out from the sidewalk and came in contact with the machine. When she struck the machine she fell and two boys ran up and took her away. He admitted that he did not leave the machine, but said the people who witnessed the accident gave him to understand that she was not hurt and he had no other story to tell.

Mr. Wood said he had no other story to tell.

Grape-Nuts

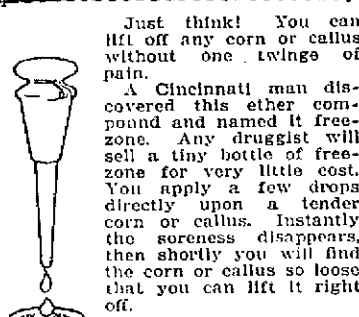
Made from choice whole wheat and malted barley, this famous food retains the vital mineral elements of the grain, so essential for balanced nourishment, but lacking in many cereal foods.

From every standpoint—good flavor, rich nourishment, easy digestion, convenience, economy, health from childhood to old age—Grape-Nuts food.

"There's a Reason"

A Drop On a Touchy Corn

Instant relief! Than corn or callus lifts off with fingers.



Just think! You can lift off any corn or callus without one twinge of pain.

A Cincinnati man discovered this other compound and named it Frezzone. Any druggist will sell a tiny bottle of Frezzone for very little cost. You apply a few drops of Frezzone upon a tender corn or callus. Instantly the soreness disappears, then shortly you will find the corn or callus so loose that you can lift it right off.

Frezzone is wonderful. It dries instantly. It doesn't eat away the corn or callus, but shrivels it up without even irritating the skin.

Hard corns, soft corns, or corns between the toes, as well as painful calluses, lift right off. There is no pain before or after. No soreness or smarting. Wounds do not keep a tiny bottle on the dresser and never let a corn ache twice.

The bearers were Messrs. Thomas Crowley, William Casey, Thomas Riley and Dr. Charles E. Donlon. There were many relatives and friends present. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery where the last solemn rites of the Catholic church were read by Rev. Fr. Fletcher, O.M.I. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers O'Connell & Mack.

LEBLANC—The funeral of Ellen Mary Leblanc took place this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the home of her parents, 27 Jewett street, and was largely attended. There were many beautiful floral offerings from sympathizing relatives and friends. Interment was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where Rev. Fr. Shaw read the committal service at the grave. Funeral Director James W. McKenna in charge.

SUN BREVITIES

Best Printing—Tobin's. Aso. Bldg. 3, F. F. Donohue, 223 Bridge street, real estate and insurance. Telephone "Time to Save." Interest begins Saturday, July 14th. City institution for Savings. See page 1, column 2.

According to the Insurance Press, a total of \$328,000 was paid to beneficiaries in Lowell last year. This is the largest payments were of \$15,500 and \$15,000.

LOWELL BOY GETS BOOST IN NAVAL LIFE

A Lowell boy who has risen high in naval life is Lieut. Walter G. Howard, who is now second lieutenant aboard the U.S.S. Delaware. Lieut. Howard is a graduate of the Lowell high school. He is son of the late chief of police, Charles Howard and brother of James H. Howard, of the local police department. Lieut. Howard is now in the U.S. Navy, having been assigned to the Delaware. He is a member of the U.S. Naval Reserve and is now serving in the U.S. Navy.

SAUNDERS GETS CONTRACT

Saunders Market has been awarded a large contract from the government to supply the training camp at Ayer. The order was received yesterday from the office of the U. S. Quartermaster, Capt. Landes, for a mammoth supply of onions and potatoes.

MATRIMONIAL

Winthrop Simpson Bean of this city and Miss Helen Mabel Litchfield of Wamesit were married July 1 by Rev. Arthur Stanley Beale at his summer home at Pigeon Cove, Rockport.

Whiting—Hubbard Donald F. Whiting of this city and Miss Helen Mabel Litchfield of Worcester were married in Worcester last evening.

Plynn—Garvey At 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon Frederick F. Plynn and Miss Anna T. Garvey were married at St. Patrick's rectory, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Joseph A. Gurin. The bride wore white crepe de chine and George ette crepe and a veil of Brussels net caught up with roses. She was attended by Miss Helen F. Riley, while the best man was Philip A. Plynn. At the close of the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's mother, 31 Clark street, luncheon being served by Caterer R. J. Harvey.

How Thin People Obtain A Plump Strong Robust Body

"Before I took toneline people used to call me 'skinny,' but now my name is changed. My whole body is stout. I have gained 15 lbs. and am gaining yet. I look like a new man," declared P. J. Smith, Pittsburg, Pa., who had just finished the toneline treatment. "Would you, too, like to quickly put from 10 to 30 lbs. of good, solid, healthy flesh on your body? I'll tell you. Don't say it can't be done. Try it. Let my good toneline free a 50c package of toneline and prove what it can do for you."

Fred Howard and the Burkinshaw Firm Co. are dispensing a great deal of toneline.

More than half a million thin men and women have gladly made this test and that toneline has succeeded, do make this folks fat even where all else has failed, is best proved by the tremendous business we have done. No drastic diet, flesh cream, massage, oils or emulsions, but a simple, harmless home treatment. Cut out the coupon and send for this Free package today.

Take toneline with your meals and watch it work. This test will tell the story.

—See BOX FREE—

FREE TONELINE COUPON

This coupon, with 10c in silver to help pay postage, is being, etc., and to show good faith entitles holder to one 50c package of Toneline Free. Address the American Proprietary Co., Boston, Mass.

Obstructing the Sidewalk

George Tournas, Costas Drans and Minas Drivas were charged with piling boxes and crates on the sidewalk in Market street and interfering with the users of the street. All three are merchants in upper Market street and it was alleged by the officers that the men piled boxes and crates on the street, obstructing the passage of persons who had occasion to use the thoroughfare. Drivas entered a plea of not guilty and said that the reason the boxes were on the sidewalk was because he was getting ready to move to another store. The court found all three guilty and ordered each to pay a fine of \$2, violation of Automobile Law.

Emile Vancollie of Methuen was also charged with violation of the automobile law by going away without giving his name, address, etc., after striking a pedestrian on July 3d, but by agreement the case was continued for one week.

Case Again Continued

The case of Joseph H. McGinchee, charged with operating an automobile while under the influence of liquor, was to have gone to trial this morning, but was again continued, this time until July 16th.



"No, mine don't wear out—not for a long time. I'll tell you how I do it. A silk manufacturer I know told me, I wash them every time I wear them—and with Lux!"

"Yes, really, it's the only way. Perspiration rots silk, so it should be washed right out. And any kind of soap that requires any rubbing at all just ruins silk stockings. Lux dissolves the dirt, and it actually falls out into the sudsy water, with just a few swishings up and down, and a few squeezings to get the suds through every part of the silk."

"And most wonderful of all, my white stockings stay white! It's free alkali in soap that makes silk turn yellow—together with little bits of cake soap that don't get rinsed out. Lux hasn't any free alkali, and the thin flakes melt the minute they touch the water."

After dozens of washings, my stockings are as white as when I bought them!

Lux will not harm anything that pure water alone will not injure. Order a package today from your grocer or any department store. See how it will make your stockings last. Lever Bros. Co., Cambridge, Mass.

How to wash silk stockings

Whisk a handful of Lux into a thick lather in very hot water. Add cold water till lukewarm. Dip your stockings through the foamy lather many times—work them in the lather—do not rub. Rinse in three waters, the first lukewarm, the second cooler, the last cold. Squeeze the water out—do not wring. When nearly dry, press with a warm iron—never a hot one.

LUX For all fine laundering

IRON AND STEEL PRODUCERS WILL GIVE GOVERNMENT HEARTY CO-OPERATION

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Administration officials having investigated the government's immediate needs of steel for war purposes in conferences with a special committee representing the American iron and steel industry today discussed future needs based on estimates of possible production capacity of the country's plants situated by the manufacturers.

The producers will give the government their hearty co-operation in its war program, it is officially stated.

INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION CREATES DIVISION OF CAR SERVICE

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Creation of a division of car service to deal with the movement, distribution, exchange, interchange and return of freight cars was announced by the interstate commerce commission.

E. H. de Groot has been appointed chief of the division. A. G. Gutheim will have executive charge of the organization and its operation, assisted by H. C. Barlow.

Through this division the commission will regulate car service throughout the country through direct orders.

POSTPONED In Account of Rain

Bellevue Club LADIES' NIGHT

Will Be TONIGHT—KASINO

Lady friends of club cordially invited, as well as girls' clubs of the city.

Broderick's Orch. Gentlemen 50c

WILLOW DALE SKATING RINK

Willow Dale May Be Secured for Large and Small Outings.

CHILDREN, 15c. TELEPHONE

MERRIMACK SQ. THEATRE

TODAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

MONTAGU LOVE in "The Brand of Satan"

A story throbbing with excitement. One intense moment follows upon another.

KATHLYN WILLIAMS and WALLACE REID In "BIG TIMBER"

A tale of a loveless marriage and the California timber lands. TRAVEL PICTURES OTHER PLAYS

OWL

Its Sliding Roof Makes It Lowell's Coolest Theatre

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Alma Hanlon & Edward Ellis In the Art Drama

"The Great Bradley Mystery"

JACKIE SAUNDERS in "THE WILDCAT"

A 1917 Caveman Story Comedy and Others

Tonight Only—WM. FOX presents VIRGINIA PEARSON in "ROYAL ROMANCE," RUTH ROLAND in "THE NEGLECTED WIFE."

FREE TONELINE COUPON

This coupon, with 10c in silver to help pay postage, is being, etc., and to show good faith entitles holder to one 50c package of Toneline Free. Address the American Proprietary Co., Boston, Mass.

Bedbug Destroyer

Plnt, 20c.

Quart, 40c

Talbot's Chemical Store 40 MIDDLE ST.

to the carriers with the purpose of dealing with car shortage and seeing that troops, war materials and necessary supplies are moved promptly.

The creation of the new division, which is the first definite government step for permanent supervision over traffic movements, is in accordance with the car service act, approved May 29, amending the act to regulate commerce.

Shippers from the southeast and the Pacific coast recently told the Interstate Commerce Commission that thousands of carloads of lumber and other commodities in these sections have been held for months at mills and factories, because of failure to get cars for their movement.

The new division probably will place agents in many of the great traffic centers to adjust local shortages, congestions and other problems.

CUBS AFTER EVERS

CHICAGO, July 12.—Charles Weeghman, owner of the Chicago National baseball club, which is now at Philadelphia, telegraphed Manager Mitchell today to get in touch with John Evers, second baseman, reported in dispatches as desiring a change from Boston.

Report was that Evers had gone to Philadelphia to negotiate with the management of the club of that city.

B.F. KEITH'S THEATRE

Lowell's Modern Ventilated Theatre—Cool and Comfortable

TODAY, THURSDAY AND FRIDAY—July 12th, 13th, 14th

NEW BIG DOUBLE BILL OF PLAYS AND STARS

She Braved Shame to Shield Another—SEE

MME. PETROVA

In the 5-Act Metro Wonderplay

"THE SOUL of a MAGDALEN"

The Story of a Girl Who "Found" Herself

THE POPULAR SCREEN FAVORITE

EARLE WILLIAMS

In "THE HAWK"

Adapted from the celebrated play which had such a successful run on Broadway—this screen drama is made more attractive, more human and more highly geared from an action stand-point than it could ever be on the stage.

HEARST PATHE WEEKLY—A COMEDY—CONCERT, ORCHESTRA

Remember Our Prices—Matinees, all 10c. Evenings 10-15c. No Higher

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY ONLY—JULY 13-14th

First Authentic Motion Pictures

GENERAL PERSHING IN FRANCE

And United States Fighting Forces on French Soil. Exclusively Shown at This Theatre Only.

The Biggest Dancing Carnival

Every Held in New England. Auspices of Edward F. Quinn of Lowell

Miss Lowell Beauty Contest

First Prize—A Diamond Ring or a Hugh Loving Cup. Second Prize—Diamond Pendant or Wrist Watch. Third Prize—A Loving Cup.

Friday Evening, July 13—Lucky Day—KASINO

ADMISSION 25 CENTS. DANCING FREE.

Prizes to be awarded by the Hon. Jas. E. O'Donnell, Mayor of Lowell.

FRIDAY EVENING, JULY 20—The All Girl Show. FRIDAY EVENING, JULY 27—Liberty Bond and Real Live Baby.

CROWN Theatre

Final Exhibition Tonight of the Extraordinary Screen Analysis of Humanity in Story Form—

IDLE WIVES

It goes deep into the causes of the evils of the rich and the poor. Starring MARY MACLAREN, LOIS WEBER, PHILLIPS SMALLEY and others.

Tomorrow will be too late—COME TONIGHT to see it!

PRICES—10c and 15c

LAKEVIEW

Week of July 9th

AFTERNOON AND EVENING

FREE ATTRACTION

SHARIFF ARABS

7 Native Sons of the Desert

AFTERNOON AND EVENING

Dancing, Boating and Bathing

All Amusements

ROYAL THEATRE

Shown today for the last time

"THE DISCARD"

Essential Picture With All-Star Cast

Others Usual Prices

JEWEL THEATRE

SPECIAL TODAY—LAST TIMES

MARY MILES MINTER

In "The Influence of Lorette"

Others Usual Prices

Trolley and Boat Excursions

60c REVERE BEACH 60c \$1.10 Nantasket Beach \$1.10

Through special trolley cars leave Merrimack Square, Tuesdays and Thursdays at 8.15 a. m. Connections can be made with boat boats. (Sundays and Holidays excepted.)

A delightful trolley ride to Boston and thence by boat to Nantasket where the above round trip rate includes admission to the famous Paragon Park. Tickets are good on all regular cars and boats. (Sundays and Holidays excepted.)

For Tickets and Information apply at Local Office Bay State St. Ry. Co.

FRENCH MINE SWEEPER SUNK; 11 LIVES LOST

PARIS, July 12.—The French mine sweeper Jupiter struck a mine in the British channel Tuesday and sank. Eleven lives were lost.

DANCING PARTY UNDER AUSPICES OF YOUNG WOMEN'S REHEW ASSOCIATION

A well attended and successful dancing party was held at the Pawtucket street bathhouse in Pawtucket street last night under the auspices of the Young Women's Hebrew Association. Music for dancing was furnished by Markham's orchestra. One of the features of the evening was the auctioning off of a number of articles which had been donated for the purpose to the Y.W.H.A. The success of the affair was due to the untiring work of the following officials: Mrs. Isadore Green, president; Miss Bessie Nyman, vice president; Mrs. Sol. Baker, treasurer; Miss May Levine, recording secretary; and Miss William Tolman, financial secretary. The chairwoman of the committee having the dance directly in charge was Mrs. Sam Abrams.

MACHINISTS' TROUBLE SETTLED

A meeting of the members of local 133, Machinists' union was held in

Leather Workers' hall last evening and present at the meeting was organizer William Larkin of Boston. At the close of the meeting Mr. Larkin stated that all grievances existing between the machinists and the United States Cartridge Co. had been settled.

SIX CENT FARE IN EFFECT NEXT SUNDAY

Fosters were placed in all the electric cars on the local lines of the Bay State Street railway this morning announcing that the six-cent fare schedule would go into effect next Sunday, July 15.

From that date on the unit of fare will be six cents in each and every line on the system. There will be a number of arrangements whereby tickets may be bought at reduced prices. The "20-ride coupon" tickets will be sold for \$1, and these will be accepted in place of cash fares at all times within the city limits of Lowell except on Sundays and holidays, and Saturdays after 1 p. m. Outside of the city limits, however, the regular six cent fare will be charged. Tickets for working men will remain the same. School children's tickets at a three-cent fare rate will

be sold for use in school seasons at certain hours. The 20-ride tickets will have the same transfer privileges as the regular six-cent cash fares. As the passengers here in Lowell boarded the cars today they were given a booklet by the conductor which contained the schedule of rates which Lowell people would be interested in, and which also explained how the new system is to be worked. Passengers are asked to have the exact fare ready, and if not, to give the conductor a penny and a dime and receive a nickel in change. The advance sale of 20-ride tickets for \$1 will start tomorrow, and these may be obtained from conductors or from the local office in Merrimack square.

FOUR DROWNED IN THE RIMOUSKI RIVER

Henri St. Gelais of 170 Riverside street, this city, has received news of the drowning of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Henri St. Gelais, aged 38 years and her daughter, aged 3 years, which occurred in the Rimouski river at Rimouski, Que., Sunday afternoon. Mrs. St. Gelais, her daughter and 21 other men, women and children went

out on a sailing trip on the Rimouski river Sunday afternoon. In a sail yacht owned and manned by Francois St. Gelais. Shortly after their departure a storm occurred and before the captain of the yacht was able to lower his sails his craft was caught in the gale and capsized. Rescuers were soon on the scene of the accident, but despite their best efforts four of those aboard the yacht were drowned among them being the Lowell man's relatives, Mrs. Henri St. Gelais and her daughter. Survivors of the two victims lost his life in a similar manner and on the same river about two years ago.

U-BOAT SINKINGS HIT LOW RECORD

LONDON, July 12.—The sinking of 14 British merchantmen of more than 1600 tons is reported in the weekly summary of shipping losses issued yesterday. Three merchantmen of less than 1600 tons and seven fishing vessels also were sunk. The official statement follows: "Arrivals, 1917; sailings, 278. British merchant ships sunk by mine or submarine over 1600 tons, including one previously, 14; under 1600 tons, three. British merchant ships unsuccessful

fully attacked, including four previously, seven. The increasing effectiveness of the measures against submarines which are being carried out by British and American warships is shown in the record of last week. With one exception the number of merchantmen sunk is the lowest of any week since the British inaugurated in March the system of giving out weekly reports. The report of March 11 showed 17 merchantmen sunk, the same total as is shown in the last week's summary. The preceding report gave the sinking of 15 vessels over 1600 tons and five under that size. In the two earlier periods the totals were respectively, 25 and 32. This compares with the sinking of 10 large merchantmen in one week and 38 in another at the height of the campaign in April. In the week ended April 21 55 vessels in all were sunk.

SUMMER VISITORS FROM U. S. TO CANADA IN NO DANGER OF ANNOYANCE

BOSTON, July 12.—James M. Stahl, Canadian immigration inspector at this port, has obtained from the immigration officials at Ottawa assurances that summer visitors from the United States to Canada are in no danger of annoyance from the Canadian military regulations. Men between the ages of 18 and 15 years will be required to satisfy the inspector at the border that they are bona fide residents of the United States, whereupon they will be passed without inconvenience.

AGRICULTURAL WEEK FOR LOWELL

At a meeting of the trustees of the Middlesex Agricultural society, held yesterday at the treasurer's place of business in Middlesex street, it was formally decided to back the "Agricultural week" scheme to the limit. After a little discussion it was agreed to hold the exhibit at the Casino and South common. President George W. Trull was named a committee of one to work in conjunction with similar committees from the board of trade and the park commission. These three men will have full charge of the affair, and will be responsible for the development of plans from now on.

It is intended to encourage the young people who are engaged in garden work this summer to offer the results of their work for exhibition, and suitable prizes will be awarded for excellence in various lines of garden activity. In this way the youngsters will be shown the value of the work they are doing, and will be encouraged to continue it at future times. The older farmers and gardeners will also have exhibits of their work, and prizes will also be awarded to them. Better co-operation between the producers in the country and the consumers in the city will undoubtedly result from the fair. A conference of the committee in

FLAG RAISING AT BOY SCOUTS CAMP

The camp of the Boy Scouts in Collinsville was yesterday afternoon the scene of a pretty ceremony, the occasion being a flag raising. The affair was conducted by Camp Master Ernest Mountain and proved very interesting. The speakers were Scout Commissioner L. W. Faulkner and Scout Executive Alex Williams. The call to the flag was sounded on a bugle and patriotic hymns were sung, the exercises closing with the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner." The boys who are at camp are kept busy tilling the farm, which is conducted by the Boy Scouts, while some of them help the neighboring farmers in weeding, spraying and other light work about the farm. There are 15 boys in camp and they are having a most delightful time.

IN LOWELL
"Time to Save" Interest begins Saturday, July 14th. City Institution for Savings. See page 1, column 2.

CHERRY & WEBB'S July Semi-Annual Clearance Sale

Sale Starts
FRIDAY at 9.30 A. M.
Nothing Sold Before That Hour

CHERRY & WEBB SALES ARE MOST SUCCESSFUL AS THEY ALWAYS HAVE
PLENTY OF ADVERTISED GOODS.

BUY COATS

You Will Never Regret. We Cannot Offer Such Bargains
Again Till After The War

LOT NO. 1
46
Coats
Sold at \$6.98 to \$10. July Sale
\$4.98
Others \$12.50, \$15.00 and \$18.00
Values to \$35.00

LOT NO. 2
Coats
Coats selling to \$7.90
\$12.98, at.....
LOT NO. 3
Coats
Coats selling \$12 to \$10
\$16, at.....
Values to \$35.00



Waists Our mammoth stock of 3000 Waists slashed for this, our semi-annual. Come, expect bargains, you will not be disappointed.

90 Dozen \$1.00 Lingerie Waists.....59c
67 Dozen \$1.50 Lingerie Waists.....85c
27 Dozen \$2.50 Lingerie Waists.....\$1.27
\$3.00 Silk, Jap and Crepe Waists.....\$1.98
\$5.00 Heavy Georgette Waists.....\$3.98

EVERY WAIST MARKED DOWN

July Basement Bargains

35 Cloth Suits, values to \$18. Choice \$7.90	12 Doz. House Dresses, values to \$2.00. Choice \$1.29
60 Cloth Coats, values to \$12.98. Choice \$7.90	
46 Cloth Coats, values to \$9.00. Choice \$4.90	Full Size Bungalow Aprons. Reg. 75c for 39c
50 Silk Dresses, values to \$9.00. Choice \$5.49	\$5.00 Sport Coats at.....\$2.98
25 Silk Kimonos, values to \$4.00. Choice \$1.98	\$7.50 Raincoats at.....\$4.90
35 Bath Robes, values to \$5.00. Choice \$2.80	\$5.00 Raincoats at.....\$2.90
75 Children's Coats, values to \$12. Choice \$5.00	\$3.00 Wash Dresses for.....\$1.90
50 Children's Coats, values to \$5. Choice \$2.90	Children's \$1.50 Wash Dresses.....79c
35 Children's Coats, values to \$3. Choice \$1.90	Children's 75c Wash Dresses.....39c
50 Bathing Suits, values to \$3.00. Choice \$1.98	\$3.00 Cloth Skirts.....\$1.69
75 Bathing Suits, values to \$2.00. Choice \$1.49	\$6.00 Wash Dresses.....\$3.90
All Wool Sweaters, values to \$5. Choice \$3.90	
10 Doz. House Dresses, values to \$1.75. Choice 79c	

Twice each year we clear our racks in preparation for the advancing season. A drastic mark down of every garment in stock, no exceptions. Women for miles around wait for this Big Saving Sale.

WE ARE CLOSED ALL THURSDAY MARKING DOWN AND ARRANGING THIS
MONSTER STOCK FOR FINAL CLEARANCE

Women's and Misses' Suits, Coats, Dresses, Skirts,
Waists, Costumes and Children's Garments
At Most Radical Reductions, Prices Which Mean Losses to Us and Profits to You.

Sweaters

62 Sweaters, silk fibre, sold at \$6.00. Choice

\$3.98

All Sweaters Reduced



**\$1.00
Table**

On this table we have thrown
Dresses, Coats, Waists and Cos-
tumes. Some were \$10 and \$12.

COME EARLY FOR THE BEST
PICKING

400 SUITS TO BE SACRIFICED

Silks, Serges, Poplins, Checks and Polart Twills. You will thank yourself for buying one of these fine suits. Never again these qualities at such ridiculous prices.

**35 Odd
Suits**

Selling to \$20.00, at

\$7.90

THE STYLES AT
\$12.75

Are the best collection we have
ever had at this price. We are
proud to be able to do it.

WE QUOTE YOU THE CREAM
OF OUR STOCK AT
\$15.75

Values to \$35.00 Tan, Navy, Copen,
Rockie and Black.

COSTUMES and DRESSES

3000 Dresses in this sale. We quote you quantity to give you some
idea of the assortment. Silks, Muslins, Georgettes Crepes, both After-
noon and Evening Dresses are slashed in price.

276 VOILE AND LAWN AND

LINEN DRESSES

Selling from \$6.75 to \$10.00. Choice \$4.90

182 VOILE, LINEN BEACH

CLOTH

And Rajah Material, Styles that we are
famous for. Sold at \$12. Choice \$6.90

50 Silk Dresses, marked from \$12.50 to \$8.90

100 Silk Dresses, marked from \$15.00 to \$10

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LOWELL DAY IN SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT

German Imperial Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg Sends Resignation to the Kaiser

1000 MEMBERS OF I. W. W. REPORTED; TWO KILLED

Next Tuesday, July 17, will be Lowell day in the supreme judicial court in Boston, for on that day four different hearings concerning the issuance of writs of mandamus against officials of the city of Lowell will be held, the last to appear in the limelight being a petition filed with the supreme judicial court by the members of the new high school commission for the issuance of a writ of mandamus to have City Treasurer Fred H. Kourke recognize the commission as a body duly appointed.

It will be remembered that the new high school commission was organized at a joint meeting of the members of the school board and municipal council on April 5, after a special act had been passed by the legislature authorizing the joint boards to elect a commission composed of five members to supervise the construction of the proposed high school. Present at the meeting on April 5 were the five members of the school board and Mayor James E. O'Donnell and Commissioner James E. Donnelly of the municipal council. The men elected to serve on the commission were Judge Frederick A. Fisher, Arthur T. Stafford, Jr., V. Kelly, Dr. Joseph B. Lamontagne and D. S. O'Brien. The commission later met and elected Judge Fisher as chairman and Mr. O'Brien as secretary.

On May 16 upon request of three members of the municipal council, Messrs. Brown, Morse and Warnock, City Solicitor William D. Regan rendered an opinion to the effect that inasmuch as the majority of the municipal council was not present at the joint meeting, the election of the commission was illegal. In the meantime the members of the commission had held meetings and approved work performed by Architect Henry L. Rourke and they also approved bills presented by the New England Structural Company, the Concrete and Steel Products Co. for the delivery of steel for the proposed building. When the bills were presented for payment at the city treasurer's office City Treasurer Kourke refused to O.K. them, acting through the advice of the city solicitor. Now the members of the commission, through their counsel, James J. Kerwin, have petitioned the supreme judicial court for a writ of mandamus to compel the city treasurer to pay the bills of the two steel companies and also to recognize the commission as a duly appointed body, and to this end a summons has been served on the city treasurer to appear in court July 17.

The other hearings to be held at the supreme judicial court on the same date are in the following cases: Edward H. Foy vs. the municipal council, Andrew G. Stiles vs. the municipal council, New England Structural Co. and the Concrete and Steel Supply Co. vs. the city treasurer.

German Imperial Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg Sends Resignation to the Kaiser

BERNE, July 12.—(British Admiralty per Wireless Press)—The Vossische Zeitung of Berlin says the German imperial chancellor, Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg has resigned. Emperor William, the newspaper adds, has postponed his decision whether to accept the chancellor's resignation.

Kaiser's Message to Hollweg

PARIS, July 12.—A despatch from Basel to the Havas agency says Emperor William has addressed to Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg a rescript under the terms of which the bill to be submitted to the Prussian diet, as a complement to the imperial message of April 7, must be drawn up on the basis of equal voting rights.

Kaiser and Hollweg Confer

AMSTERDAM, July 12.—Emperor William had an interview lasting several hours with Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg yesterday and received his report on the political situation, according to a semi-official despatch from Berlin.

Kaiser Calls Crown Prince

BERNE, Switzerland, July 12.—(British admiralty per wireless press).—An official communication issued in Berlin yesterday says Emperor William called the crown prince to his study.



DR. VON BETHMANN-HOLLWEG

Ham expressed the opinion that the political and constitutional reforms demanded by the reichstag are such that they cannot be carried out by himself, but his successor, inasmuch as they would be permanent. For this reason the emperor summoned the crown prince to attend one or more crown councils at which final decisions regarding the extent to which the crown and the government will make concessions to the reichstag will be reached.

Acting Sec. Polk Issues Warning

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Acting Secretary Polk gave warning at the state department today against attributing too much importance to Germany's threatened political upheaval. The apparent passing off of the crisis into merely an internal shake-up confirmed semi-official estimates yesterday and led Mr. Polk to summarize the department's attitude as follows:

"It is well not to exaggerate the meaning of Germany's internal strife on her foreign policies or on her efforts in the war. Any changes that may take place there would be much more important if they affected the military rather than the civilian. If they reached men like Hindenburg and Ludendorff for instance, the situation would be very different. The presence in Washington of former Charge Grew from Berlin and Vienna, and U. S. Grant Smith from Vienna, gives the government a very good means of valuing news from Germany and Austria."

VICTORY FOR RUSSIANS KALUSZ CAPTURED

Gen. Brusiloff's offensive in Galicia is developing into a drive with little or no let-up at least so far as the part in it played by Gen. Korniloff's armies is concerned.

Capture German Headquarters

Yesterday's news of the capture of Halicz was followed today by the announcement that Gen. Korniloff's troops had pushed on beyond Leszuka, southwest of Stanislaw and reached and occupied Kalusz, a city of 5000 population seven miles west of the Stok river. The Austro-German headquarters in this sector was situated here.

Taken After Sanguinary Battle

Kalusz was stubbornly defended but after a sanguinary battle the Russians pushed into the town, according to advices from Petrograd, they are continuing their advance after having taken a large number of prisoners.

German Raid Driven Off

The German attack on Monday on the Heligian coast ceased with the capture of the small sector east of the Yser which the Germans had devastated with their intensive gunfire. Neither last night nor today's British official announcement records and further fighting in the region of the Yser, although the artillery is continuing active. A German raid near Lombartzyde was driven off by the British.

Attacks Repulsed on Verdun Front

On the Verdun front the German cross-prince made a number of attacks on both banks of the Meuse. All these assaults, delivered in the vicinity of Hill 304 on the one side of the stream and north of the Hardamont work on the other, were repulsed by the French. The German offensive in the region of the Meuse, south of Juvincourt and in the region of the triangulate plateau.

TO REVISE WAR AIMS OF ENTENTE ALLIES

LONDON, July 12.—Lord Robert Cecil, minister of blockade and parliamentary and secretarial, in a foreign affairs committee decided today that the British government had informed the Russian government of its willingness to enter into a discussion looking to the possible revision of the war aims of the entente allies. The British government, he added, was in consultation with the allied powers of Great Britain as to the form in which this discussion could most conveniently take place.

FAIL TO SETTLE LYNN LABOR TROUBLES

LYNN, July 12.—Negotiations looking to an adjustment of differences between manufacturers and members of labor unions, which caused the closing in April of more than 30 shoe factories were declared off today after representatives of both sides had failed to reach an agreement. The shoe workers announced through a committee that they would not submit their case to the state board of conciliation and arbitration nor would they accept a price schedule which eliminated the 10 per cent. bonus asked for by them. In view of this statement the manufacturers said that further conference would be of no avail.

The workers expressed a willingness to deal with individual manufacturers but said they would not meet a committee representing the Shoe Manufacturers' association.

NO HARVARD FOOTBALL THIS YEAR

CAMBRIDGE, July 12.—Fred W. Moore, graduate treasurer of the Harvard Athletic association announced today that varsity football schedule for next season had been cancelled because of the war. It had been known for some time that the crimson color would not be seen on the field this year as Harvard had been wounded to the government's call in such large numbers that none of the old players remain in student life.

MANY LOWELL OUTINGS TO THE BEACHES

"Hello, Mame! Bring your camera?" "Yes, you bet; I want to get a submarine if I can."

"Fat chance—O, here's the car at last."

And the car rolled into the square and several hundred "Mames" and their friends got aboard, and were off for a day's outing at the beach. Today was a general holiday as far as the beach is concerned.

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GETTEMY BUSY ON REGISTRATION

BOSTON, July 12.—Charles F. Gettemy, director of military enrolment, said today that the work of numbering and listing the 360,000 registration cards in this state probably would not be completed before the end of next week. Several hundred clerks are at work night and day in order to send the lists to the 122 military districts at the earliest possible time.

Mr. Gettemy has endeavored to make clear that in each district a registrant can obtain his serial number, which will enable him to tell quickly when the numbers are announced in Washington, whether he has been drafted.

OBJECT TO SENDING N. E. MEN TO THE SOUTH

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Objection to sending New England men drafted for the army to southern training camps was made to the war department today by Senators Lodge and Weeks of Massachusetts and Hale of Maine. They say the army will meet climatical conditions in these camps to those of New England rather than of the south.

CONNECTICUT PROTEST TO SEC. OF WAR BAKER

HARTFORD, Conn., July 12.—The Connecticut state council of defense today sent to Secretary of War Baker a protest against the use of figures reported to be estimated of population of the state of Connecticut issued by the government for a base of apportionment for "the forthcoming draft." The state council contends that the method of estimating the population on a nationwide percentage of registrants is unfair to this state. The estimate gives Connecticut's population as 1,719,623.

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PAUL MAYWOON FOUND GUILTY OF MURDER

FLEMINGTON, N. J., July 12.—A verdict of guilty of murder was returned by a jury here today against Paul Maywoon and he was sentenced to die in the electric chair in the state prison at Trenton during the week of August 19. Maywoon was arrested after William H. Queen, Mrs. Queen and their two children were found dead, killed by an axe, at their farm at Mount Pleasant, early in June. Maywoon had been employed as a farm hand.

COMMISSIONER MORSE IS GENEROUS

Assistant Engineer Harry R. Sprague of the engineers department at city hall received the glad news this morning that, through the courtesy of Commissioner Morse, who is at the head of the department, his pay has been raised from \$30.75 a week to \$35.50.

Mr. Sprague's work is in connection with the paving of streets and he has been connected with the engineers' department since 1905. At a recent meeting of the municipal council at the request of Commissioner Morse, Mr. Sprague gave a statement of the work performed by the department this year as compared with the work of two years previous, and it was shortly after the meeting, so it was stated, that Commissioner Morse made up his mind to increase Mr. Sprague's salary.

There are three other assistant engineers in the department, but for the present they are not as fortunate as Mr. Sprague. Their pay has not been increased. Arthur Bartlett has been connected with the department as an assistant engineer since 1891 and his salary is \$30.75 a week. How Farnham, Mr. Farnham has held the position of assistant engineer for 28 years with the exception of two years during which time he was mayor of Lowell, and he is still receiving \$30.75 a week. Charles R. Preston has been in the department since 1892 and his pay is \$25 a week.

The highest paid man in the department besides the engineer, however, is William J. Gargan, who is receiving \$35 a week and who appears on the payroll as an inspector for the Pawlucket bridge.

TWO COLUMBIA STUDENTS WHO FAILED TO REGISTER SENTENCED

NEW YORK, July 12.—Owen Cattell and Charles F. Phillips, Columbia students, who were convicted of conspiracy to obstruct the operation of the draft law, were today sentenced in the federal court to pay a fine of \$500 each and to the custody of the United States marshal for one day. Judge Pitkin was sentenced to five days in the custody of the marshal for refusal to testify.

SECRETARY FOR INDIA RESIGNS

LONDON, July 12.—J. Austen Chamberlain, secretary for India, has resigned.

KEYES IS CALLED FOR FURTHER EXAMINATION

DEDHAM, July 12.—When the grand jury resumed today its investigation into the death of Mrs. Pauline Keyes at Brookline on June 12, it was expected that the hearing of testimony would be concluded before night. Dist. Atty. Fred G. Katzmann had called the woman's husband, George H. Keyes, for further examination. Another witness and probably the last to be called was H. Allen Rutherford, detective sergeant of the Brookline police. Rutherford assisted in the arrest of Mrs. Keyes and Varnoy, who is charged with the murder of Mrs. Keyes.

The grand jury concluded the examination of witnesses successfully after 11 o'clock and it was stated a report probably would be presented to the court late today.

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WOULD MAKE THE BAY STATE "BONE DRY"

BOSTON, July 12.—The constitutional convention committee on liquor traffic voted today, 9 to 6, to recommend the adoption of a "bone dry" amendment, providing for state-wide prohibition on and after May 1, 1918.

WAR INDUSTRIES CONSIDERED RESPONSIBLE FOR SWOLLEN POPULATION ESTIMATES

WASHINGTON, July 12.—War industries which have drawn large temporary population of workers to some sections today were considered responsible for swollen population estimates accredited to many American cities by the war department in its work of basing apportionments for drafting the new national army.

For the purpose of the apportionment only new population figures have been based on each county and city, based on war registration in those sub-divisions, and the allotment will be approximately two-thirds of one per cent of the revised population.

Delay of many district exemption boards in organizing and assigning serial numbers to new registrants caused war department officials today to almost abandon hope of making the first drawing this week.

Cherries and Peas

The subject for demonstration at the GAS APPLIANCE STORE, 198 Merrimack St., TOMORROW afternoon at 2.30 o'clock will be the canning of CHERRIES and PEAS. Cherries are ripe. Peas are in the pod. Friday afternoon at 2.30.

EVERSIGNS WITH THE PHILLIES

PHILADELPHIA, July 12.—Johnny Evers, former captain of the Boston National league club, today closed a deal whereby he becomes a member of the Philadelphia Nationals. He will play second base beginning next Monday, displacing Bert Niehoff.

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U. S. STEAMER KANSAN
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WASHINGTON, July 12.—State department dispatches into yesterday announced the destruction of the American steamer Kansan by a German submarine said that four members of the crew were missing, but that all of the armed naval guard were safe.

All were reported landed except the following members of the crew, who are considered lost: First Asst. Engineer J. M. Murphy, American; P. Aguirre, English; A. F. Kim of Honolulu and C. Hanan of Singapore. The Kansan carried a crew of 30 men. She is supposed to have been sunk off the coast of France.

ARMY REDUCES WEIGHT
AND HEIGHT LIMITS

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Small men make as good soldiers as big men, in the revised opinion of the war department, which has instructed recruiting stations to open the ranks of the regular army to men of no more than five feet one inch in height and who weigh only 110 pounds.

The order is issued on the basis of a recommendation made by Surgeon Gen. Gorgas, who advised that good men were being kept out by the minimum height and weight limit of five feet four inches and 120 pounds.

As a matter of fact, however, recruiting officers had been instructed not to enforce the height and weight minimum limits, and there are a considerable number now in the army who are below the five-foot-four requirement.

The new orders will have a wide effect in National Guard recruiting, and primarily in selections for the national army. Regular army standards govern both of these services in a general way.

The regular army still was short some 40,000 men when recruiting closed yesterday, only 1225 men having been accepted since the war department added two men, making 57 furnished from that state since April 1 on a quota of 110.

OFFICERS OF NATIONAL
GUARD GO TO SCHOOL

BOSTON, July 12.—Officers of the National Guard not yet on federal duty will attend a ten days training school at Wakefield, starting on Saturday. The instruction will be supervised by Acting Adj. Gen. E. Leroy Sweetser.

MR. McADOO WANTS LIBERTY LOAN
MACHINE KEPT INTACT—
THANKS MASS. COMMITTEE

BOSTON, July 12.—That the government wishes preserved intact for future use the splendid machine created for the disposal of Liberty Bonds was indicated in a letter of glowing praise received yesterday from Secretary of the Treasury William G. McAdoo by Mrs. Barrett Wendell, chairman of the Liberty Loan committee for this state. The letter reads as follows:

"Permit me to extend to you, and through you to each member of your Liberty Loan committee, my warm thanks and deep appreciation of the patriotic service you rendered your country in connection with the Liberty Loan of 1917. The result could not have been accomplished without the effective aid of such patriotic citizens as yourself and the members of your committee.

"Loyally and unselfishly you gave the government your best efforts, and you can enjoy the satisfaction of knowing that you have contributed immeasurably to the first signal victory America has won in this righteous war. I shall be obliged if you will convey this message to every member of your committee. I should be happy to write a personal letter to each if it were physically possible for me to do so.

"I also take this opportunity to express the hope that you will preserve your administrative organization and that I may have your assistance again when the government has to place additional issues of bonds."

BOARD OF TRADE OUTING

The annual outing of the board of trade will be held this year August 2. The beaches have been chosen as this year's objective, and the plan as marked out yesterday is for members to leave Lowell by one of the afternoon express trains to Boston, go to Rowe's wharf, and from there to take the 12:15 Nantasket boat down the harbor to Pemberton. Here dinner will be served at the Pemberton Inn, and in the afternoon an excursion will be made to Nantasket. This plan is only tentative, but if carried out will give the members a more varied day than has been the rule in previous years.

At Pemberton there is a brand new swimming pool with real ocean water, and an ideal baseball park. These features will offer the opportunity for a day of thorough enjoyment. And then, the many amusement places at Nantasket beach will also provide pleasure. There will be no speakers as in previous board of trade affairs, and the occasion will be a "come and go" affair so far as the members are concerned. Some have expressed preference of going by auto rather than by train, and for those who do this the committee in charge wishes to warn them to arrive at Pemberton at 1:15 at the latest, so all may enjoy the dinner together.

Tickets will be placed on sale at a later date, and these must be applied for at or before a certain specified time to be announced later in order that arrangements may be completed in advance.

FORMER CZAR HAS ONLY \$1,200,000
AND WANTS RUSSIA TO SUP-
PORT HIM

PETROGRAD, July 12.—Ex-Emperor Nicholas has appealed to the provisional government to allow him and the members of his family to acquire back in the domain of France.

The ex-emperor announces that the amount of their investment in the loan depends upon whether the Russian state intends to support his family or not. He adds that he only property he possesses now only 300,000 rubles (normally \$450,000), his wife 1,000,000 rubles (\$1,500,000), his heir, Alexia, 1,000,000; his daughter, Olga, 3,000,000, and his other daughters between 1,000,000 and 2,000,000 rubles (total \$4,200,000).

CALL AMERICAN EXPORT RESTRICT-
TIONS UNJUST AND CRUEL
TO SMALL NEUTRALS

COPENHAGEN, July 12.—Further complaint of American export restrictions being unjust and cruel to small neutrals, tending to force them between starvation and entering the war, is made by the semi-official newspaper Politiken. "The demand that American products shall neither directly nor indirectly contribute to the advantage of the Germans can only be fulfilled if all export restrictions with Germany are severed," continues the paper, which cites an article from a Washington paper and Controller Hoover's statement to prove the "brutality" back of American policy.

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Almond Meal for bleaching skin. Cucum- Violet and Witch Hazel Lotion, Rose ber Cream for sunburn. Benzoin Almond Water and Glycerine Lotion, Antiseptic Lotion. Poudre de rig, in Regular Price 25c mouth wash, Antiseptic white, flesh and pink. Py- For This Sale Shaving Lotion, Liquid Egg-roxide Tooth Powder. Py- Shampoo, Bay Rum, 67%roxide Tooth Paste. Deod- alcohol, Cold Cream, Motor- orant Cream for perspira- Cream, Peroxide Cream, tion. Carmencita Beauty Cream.

17c

Ivory Goods

75c Ivory Combs.....49c
\$1.25 Puff Boxes.....98c
\$1.25 Hair Receivers.....98c

Colgate's Toilet Articles

Florient Extract, oz.....\$1.00
Florient Toilet Water.....75c
Florient Talcum Powder.....25c
Charms Cold Cream.....25c
Charms Face Powder.....25c
Eolat Perfume, oz.....50c
Eolat Talcum Powder.....15c
Eolat Face Powder.....25c
Eolat Toilet Water.....50c, 75c

HAIR BRUSH 25c

BLACK DRESS-ING COMB.....10c

35c value. Both For **25c**

PAPER AMERICAN FLAGS

For Framing, 15c value. PRICED **5c** Each

Pear's Scented Soap, 20c value. Priced3 for 50c
Pear's Unscented Soap, 13c value. Priced3 for 31c
Olivio Soap, 10c value. Priced 3 for 20c
Palmolive Soap, 13c value. Priced 9c
Box Guest Soap, all odors, 6 in box, 35c value. Priced.....22c
29 Mule Team Boric Acid Powder, 25c value. Priced12c

Toilet Soaps, Buttermilk, Oatmeal, Witch Hazel, etc., 5c value. Priced 4 for 10c
Jar of Woolworth's Trailing Arbutus, 25c value. Priced.....19c
Violet and Lilac Talcum Powder, 15c value. Priced10c
Smelling Salts, assorted odors, 25c value. Priced.....19c
25c Whisk Brooms. Priced.....19c
Vivoudon's Peroxide Tooth Paste.....25c

Mavis Cold Cream.....25c and 50c
Mavis Talcum Powder.....25c
Mavis Toilet Water.....75c
Mavis Lady Mary Face Powder.....50c
Toilet Water, lilac, rose and lars; 75c value. Priced50c
Liquid Face Powder in white, pink and flesh, 50c value. Priced.....29c
Extract of Violet, white, rose and cory- lopsis, 50c value.....35c Oz.

Houbigant's Quelque Fleurs extract. \$3.40 value. Priced \$3.00 Oz., 75c for 1/4 Oz. (No less than 1/4 Oz. sold).
Houbigant's Ideal Extract, \$2.00 value. Priced.....\$1.75 Oz., 44c for 1/4 Oz. (No less than 1/4 Oz. sold).

Ilene Brand Cap Shape Human Hair Nets, 25c value, 3 in pkg. Priced 19c Pkg.

Gray and White Cap Nets, 25c value. Priced19c Pkg.
Human Hair Switches, all colors, except gray, \$3.00 value. Priced.....\$2.49
Human Hair Switches, \$2.00 value. Priced\$1.49
Water Bottles and Syringes, guaranteed, \$1.00 value. Priced.....50c
Metal Hot Water Bottles, guaranteed, \$1.50 value. Priced.....89c

FURTHER REDUCTIONS ON WOMEN'S SUITS, COATS, SKIRTS, DRESSES and WAISTS

These Garments Are All Desirable and Fashionable

WASH SKIRTS

Our Wash Skirts are the best values and style we have ever shown. Fortunate purchase at less than regular prices gives us an opportunity to offer unusual values Friday, Saturday and Monday.

SPECIAL PRICES AT

\$2.98, \$3.98, \$4.98

With a Big Assortment at **98c, \$1.98 Up to \$8.95**

Big Mark-Down in SUITS

All our Women's Tailored Suits, marked for a quick clean up. Most all navy, tailor made, good style for fall wear, at less than half price. \$25.00, \$27.50, \$29.50 to **\$14.95**
\$35.00 values. Priced.....

Coats

50 High Grade Coats in navy and black, in good assortment, for large women. Stylish stouts as well as small, and medium sizes. Were \$22.50, \$25.00 and \$29.50.

SALE PRICE

\$14.98

Special Millinery Offering

Cushion Chip Hats, Milans, Leghorns

With hemp facing, Ribbon Poke Hats, Satin Hats in poke effect, sailors and roll brim, for sport, ready to wear and dress wear. Priced

\$1.98 to \$4.98

SALE of DRESSES

ALL KINDS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

WHITE DRESSES, SUMMER DRESSES and SILK DRESSES

If you want a dress with lots of style and snap at a BIG REDUCTION, come here tomorrow or Saturday.

NEW SMART STYLISH SWEATERS

New Sweaters arrive daily. A little better quality than you find elsewhere. Priced

\$5.98, \$6.98, \$7.98 Up to \$14.98

Silk Suits at Reduced Prices

\$25.00 and \$29.50 Suits, Priced.....**\$17.75**
\$35.00 to \$47.50 Suits, Priced.....**\$24.75**

Bathing Suit Values

Special at.....**\$2.98 and \$3.49**

Lowell's Largest Waist Dept.

Something new all the time. Every express brings us the last word in Waists. NEW LINGERIE, NEW VOILES, NEW GEORGETTE

PRICED

\$1.98, \$2.98, \$3.98 Up to \$25

Women's Knit Underwear

WOMEN'S FINE RIBBED COTTON UNION SUITS—Short sleeves, light and lace trimmed knee, 59c value. Priced.....39c
WOMEN'S FINE RIBBED COTTON FITTIE VESTS, low neck, sleeveless and V neck, 17c value. Priced.....12/20
WOMEN'S (Forest Hills) UNION SUITS, low neck, sleeveless, shell trimmed, trimmed knee, \$1.00 value. Priced.....59c
BOYS' KNIT UNION SUITS
FINE RIBBED COTTON, bleached, short sleeves, knee length, 50c value. Priced.....

Men's Knit Underwear

MEN'S BALBRIGGAN SHIRTS AND DRAWERS, short sleeves, double seated drawers. Priced.....25c
MEN'S EXTRA FINE QUALITY BALBRIGGAN SHIRTS AND DRAWERS, short sleeves, double seated drawers, ankle and knee length. Priced49c
MEN'S FINE RIBBED UNION SUITS, short sleeves, ankle length. Priced49c
MEN'S ATHLETIC UNION SUITS, made of fine quality nainsook. Priced50c
IMPERIAL DROP SEAT UNION SUITS, in all styles. Priced \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$3.00

HONOR LOWELL GIRL AT BEAUTY CONTEST

Who is Lowell's fairest maid? That question will be decided by impartial judges at the Beauty Contest of the big dancing carnival at the Kaslo tomorrow evening when the many rivals for the beauty prize will compete for the honor of being called "Miss Lowell" and for the three prizes which are offered. The first prize is the winner's choice of a loving cup or a diamond ring; the second winner may choose between a diamond pendant and a bracelet watch, while the winner of the third prize will receive a loving cup. Many have entered up to date by sending their names and photos by mail to Edward P. Quinn, 13 Lagrange court, who is putting on this event which is the first of its kind in Lowell. The interest caused by this contest is keen among the many friends of the numerous entrants, and while a large number have already applied for admission there is plenty of chance for others to step in now and win the coveted prizes. The more the merrier.



MISS LOUISE LAFEYLY
One of the Possible Winners at Beauty Contest

Who is Lowell's most beautiful maiden will be decided by three judges who are competent to pick out the best subject. Following their verdict, Hon. James O'Donnell will award the prizes. During the remainder of the evening free dancing will be enjoyed. No doubt, after the contest is all over some will wish they had entered. There is but one way to avoid such regrets, and that is enter the contest and win a prize.

GATHERING STATISTICS

James Hickey, a representative of the federal bureau of statistics is at city hall gathering statistics for his department.

DEATHS

WINNING—Hazel L. Winning died yesterday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter R. Winning, in South Chelmsford, aged 17 years, 2 months and 28 days.

ROY—Mrs. Eleanor (German) Roy, wife of Danase Roy, aged 68 years, died early yesterday at her home, 11 Dane avenue, after a lingering illness. She leaves, besides her husband, three sons, Alfred, Octave and Eugene, all of this city; three daughters, Mrs. Marcotte and Mrs. Burette, both of Lowell, and Mrs. Landry of Nashua, N. H. The body was removed to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Marcotte, 88 Ford street.

RILEY—Edward Riley, formerly of this city, died at Gardner, Mass. He leaves a sister, Rose G. Riley, and two brothers, James Riley and John Riley, both of this city.

FUNERALS

LEFEVRE—The funeral of Raymond Lefevre, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Lefevre, took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, 292 West Sixth street. Burial was in the family lot in St. Joseph's cemetery, under the direction of Undertakers Joseph Albert & Son.

MAGUIRE—The funeral of Thos. J. Maguire took place this morning at 8 o'clock from the undertaking rooms of James W. McKenna, 418 Bridge street. The cortege proceeded to St. Michael's church where at 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Francis J. Mullin. The bearers were Messrs. John Maguire, Bernard Maguire, Hugh Maguire and Mr. Gaffney. Interment was in St. Mullin's cemetery where Rev. Fr. Mullin read the committal prayers at the grave. Funeral Director James W. McKenna in charge.

REGAN—The funeral of Mrs. Bridget Regan took place this morning from her late home, East Chelmsford at 8 o'clock and was largely attended by many sorrowing relatives and friends. The funeral cortege then proceeded to the Sacred Heart church in Lowell where, at 9 o'clock a funeral mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Bernard Fletcher. O.M. were many beautiful floral tributes to testify the high esteem in which the deceased

Grape-Nuts

Made from choice whole wheat and malted barley, this famous food retains the vital mineral elements of the grain, so essential for balanced nourishment, but lacking in many cereal foods.

From every standpoint—good flavor, rich nourishment, easy digestion, convenience, economy, health from childhood to old age—Grape-Nuts food.

"There's a Reason"

A Drop On a Touchy Corn

Instant relief! Than corn or callus lifts off with fingers.



Just think! You can lift off any corn or callus without one twinge of pain. A Cincinnati man discovered this other compound and named it Freemone. Any druggist will sell a tiny bottle of Freemone for very little cost. You apply a few drops directly upon a tender corn or callus. Instantly the soreness disappears, then shortly you will find the corn or callus so loose that you can lift it right off. Freemone is wonderful. It doesn't eat away the corn or callus, but shrivels it up without even irritating the skin. Hard corns, soft corns, as well as painful calluses, lift right off. There is no pain before or afterwards. No soreness or smarting. Women should keep a tiny bottle on the dresser and never let a corn ache twice.

The bearers were Messrs. Thomas Riley, William Casey, Thomas Crowley and Dr. Charles E. Donlon. There were many relatives and friends present from out of town. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery where the last solemn rites of the Catholic church were read by Rev. Fr. Fletcher, O.M. Burial arrangements were in charge of Undertakers O'Connell & Mack.

LEHLAND—The funeral of Ellen Mary Lehlund took place this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the home of her parents, 17 Everett street, and was largely attended. There were many beautiful floral offerings from sympathizing relatives and friends. Interment was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where Rev. Fr. Shaw read the committal service at the grave. Funeral Director James W. McKenna in charge.

JITNEY MEN WIN OUT IN LAWRENCE

LAWRENCE, July 12.—The city council voted today to withdraw on the petition for the licensing and bonding of jitneys, at a special session yesterday morning. This is a signal victory for the jitney operators, who claimed that compelling them to furnish a bond would drive them out of business. The vote was unanimous. The petition was first submitted to the city council three weeks ago and Monday of this week it was taken up for consideration. After a three hours hearing Monday the council took the matter under advisement.

While voting not to bond the jitneys, members of the government expressed the opinion that steps should be taken for regulation to the greater protection of the public from the jitneys.

SUN BREVITIES

Best Finding—Tobin's. Asso. Bldg. J. P. Donohue, 225 Hildreth Bldg., real estate and insurance. Telephone. "Time to Save" interest begins Saturday, July 14th. City Bulletin for Savings. See page 1, column 2.

According to the Insurance Press, a total of \$520,000 was paid to beneficiaries in Lowell last year. Two of the largest payments were of \$15,500 and \$15,000.

Employees of the Boston & Maine car shops at Haverhill, after a day's raising and plan yesterday noon and the event was largely attended. Big guns belched salutes, remarks were made by officials and employees, and the raising of the Star Spangled Banner.

NEWS OF THE DAY IN POLICE COURT

Joseph C. Wood appeared before Judge Pickman in police court this morning on a complaint charging him with a violation of the automobile law by going away without giving his name and number after knowingly injuring Agnes Garland, aged seven years. Mr. Wood entered a plea of not guilty, but the court, after considering the evidence in the case, found the defendant guilty and, inasmuch as there is no fine attached to this crime, imposed the minimum penalty, 30 days in jail. Mr. Wood appeared and was held under \$200 for his appearance in superior court, being allowed to go on his personal recognizance.

According to the testimony offered, Mr. Wood was operating his machine through Market street on June 25th and upon turning into South Highland street struck the child, knocking her down and injuring her. Several witnesses testified to seeing the accident and that Mr. Wood did not leave the machine to make any inquiry, but said "she's all right," and then drove away. Mr. Wood and another witness testified that the machine was traveling at the rate of about three or four miles an hour and that the child ran out from the sidewalk and came in contact with the machine. When she struck the machine she fell and two boys picked her up and took her away. He admitted that he did not leave the machine, but said the people who witnessed the accident gave him to understand that she was not hurt and he had also heard a boy say "you're Mr. Wood" and he answered "yes."

Obstructing the Sidewalk
George Tournas, Costas Dracos and Minas Drivas were charged with piling boxes and crates on the sidewalk in Market street and interfering with the users of the street. All three are merchants in upper Market street and it was alleged by the officers that the men piled boxes and crates on the street, obstructing the passage of persons who had occasion to use that thoroughfare. Drivas entered a plea of not guilty and said that the reason the boxes were on the sidewalk was because he was getting ready to move to another store. The court found all three guilty and ordered each to pay a fine of \$3.

Violation of Automobile Law
Emile Vanocille of Methuen was also charged with violation of the automobile law by going away without giving his name to addressee. He was charged with obstructing Russell Gutknecht on July 3d, but by agreement the case was continued for one week.

Case Again Continued
The case of Joseph H. McElmichey, charged with operating an automobile while under the influence of liquor, was to have gone to trial this morning, but was again continued, this time until July 26th.



"No, mine doesn't wear out—not for a long time. I'll tell you how I do it. A silk manufacturer I know told me. I wash them every time I wear them—and with Lux!"

"Yes, really, it's the only way. Perspiration rots silk, so it should be washed right out. And any kind of soap that requires any rubbing at all just ruins silk stockings. Lux dissolves the dirt, and it actually falls out into the sudsy water, with just a few swishings up and down, and a few squeezings to get the suds through every part of the silk.

"And most wonderful of all, my white stockings stay white! It's free alkali in soap that makes silk turn yellow—together with little bits of cake soap that don't get rinsed out. Lux hasn't any free alkali, and the thin flakes melt the minute they touch the water.

LUX

For all fine laundering

LOWELL BOY GETS BOOST IN NAVAL LIFE

A Lowell boy who has risen high in naval life is Lieut. Walter G. Howard, who is now second lieutenant aboard the U.S.S. Delaware. Lieut. Howard is a graduate of the Lowell high school. He is the son of the late chief of police, Charles Howard, and brother of James H. Howard of the local police department. Lately he has lived in Lynn, being employed as a claim adjuster for the Bay State Street Railway Co. in that city. Lieut. Howard served for nine years in the Massachusetts Naval brigade, and possesses a medal for service in this branch. He was a member of Co. E, which was the first unit to leave Lynn for federal service.

GAVE HIS RIGHT NAME

James L. Ward called at The Sun office this morning to straighten out a mix-up in names appearing in connection with a recent case in police court. It was stated by the police that he had not given his right name; that he should have given the name of Leo Ward. "My name," he said, "is Leo Ward. Some call me Leo and others call me James. When I gave the name James L. Ward I gave my right name."

DANCE AT KASINO TONIGHT

The Bellevue club's ladies' night, postponed from last evening because of the weather will be held tonight at the Casino and all the features previously arranged will be served up to those who attend. The ladies friends of the club and the girls of the city are cordially invited to this complimentary affair at which Broderick's orchestra will play for dancing. Gentlemen will be admitted for the small fee of 15c, and a fine time is assured all.

The Detroit war relief committee has an exhibition a windproof jacket, made entirely of discarded kid gloves sent in to the committee.

SOLDIER BOYS ENTERTAINED

Young men of the First Presbyterian church who are now members of various branches of military service of the United States were entertained last evening at the home of Rev. J. M.

How Thin People Obtain A Plump Strong Robust Body

"Before I took tonoline people used to call me 'skinny,' but now my name is changed. My whole body is stout. I have gained 15 lbs. and am gaining yet. I look like a new man," declared F. F. Smith, Pittsburg, Pa., who had just finished the tonoline treatment. "Would you, too, like to quickly put on 10 to 25 lbs. of good solid 'stay-there' flesh, fat and muscular tissue between your skin and bones? I can't say it can be done. Try it. Let me send you free a 50c package of tonoline and prove what it can do for you."

Fred Howard and the Parkinslaw Drug Co. are dispensing a great deal of tonoline.

More than half a million thin men and women have kindly made this test and that tonoline does succeed, does make thin folks fat even where all else has failed, is best proved by the tremendous business we have done. No drastic diet, flesh creams, massage, oils or emulsions, but a simple, harmless, safe and effective treatment. Coupon and send for this Free package today.

Take tonoline with your meals and watch it work. This test will tell the story.

FREE TONOLINE COUPON
This coupon, with 10c in silver to help pay postage, packing, etc., and to show good faith entitles holder to one 50c package of Tonoline Free. Address: The American Proprietary Co., Boston, Mass.

Bedbug Destroyer
Plnt, 20c
Quart, 40c
Talbot's Chemical Store
40 MIDDLE ST.

BAUNDERS GETS CONTRACT

Saunders Market has been awarded a large contract from the government to supply the training camp at Ayer. The order was received yesterday from the office of the U. S. quartermaster, and an excellent program has been arranged for the entertainment of their many friends. The Broadway team is one of the claimants for the city's baseball championship through to give all who attend the dance a real big league time. A cake walk by Master Dominick Monahan and Miss Rosalee Clark will be one of the features of the evening.

MATRIMONIAL

Winthrop Simpson Bean of this city and Miss Helen Mabel Littlefield of Wamsutter were married July 4 by Rev. Arthur Stanley Beale at his summer home at Pigeon Cove, Rockport.

Whiting—Hubbard
Donald F. Whiting of this city and Miss Helen Margaret Hubbard of Worcester were married in Worcester last evening.

Flynn—Garvey
At 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon Frederick F. Flynn and Miss Anna F. Garvey were married at St. Patrick's rectory, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Joseph A. Curtin. The bride wore white crepe de chine and George's crepe and a veil of Brussels lace caught up with roses. She was attended by Miss Helen F. Riley, while the best man was Philip A. Flynn. At the close of the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's mother, 31 Clark street, luncheon being served by Caterer R. J. Harvey.

POSTPONED

On Account of Rain Wednesday Evening.

Bellevue Club LADIES' NIGHT

with the TONIGHT—KASINO
Ladies friends of club cordially invited, as well as girls' clubs of the city.

WILLOW DALE SKATING RINK

Willow Dale May Be Secured for Large and Small Outings.
CHILDREN, 15c. TELEPHONE

PHOTO PLAYS MERRIMACK SQUARE

TODAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
MONTAGU LOVE in "The Brand of Satan"

A story throbbing with excitement. One intense moment follows upon another.

KATHLYN WILLIAMS and WALLACE REID
In "BIG TIMBER"

A tale of a loveless marriage and the California timber lands.
TRAVEL PICTURES OTHER PLAYS

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Its Sliding Roof Makes It Lowell's Coolest Theatre
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Alma Hanlon & Edward Ellis
In the Art Drama

"The Great Bradley Mystery"
JACKIE SAUNDERS in "THE WILDCAT"

A 1017 Caveman Story Comedy and Others
Tonight Only—WM. FOX presents VIRGINIA PEARSON in "ROYAL ROMANCE," RUTH ROLAND in "THE NEGLECTED WIFE."

IRON AND STEEL PRODUCERS WILL GIVE GOVERNMENT HEARTY CO-OPERATION

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Administration officials having investigated the government's immediate needs of steel for war purposes in conference with a special committee representing the American iron and steel industry today discussed future needs based on estimates of possible production capacity of the country's plants submitted by the manufacturers.

The producers will give the government their hearty co-operation in its war program. It is officially stated.

INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION ORGATES DIVISION OF CAR SERVICE
WASHINGTON, July 12.—Creation of a division of car service to deal with the movement, distribution, exchange, interchange and return of freight cars was announced by the interstate commerce commission.

E. H. de Groot has been appointed chief of the division. A. G. Guthrie will have executive charge of the organization and its operation, assisted by H. C. Burrows.

Through this division the commission will regulate car service throughout the country through direct orders.

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to the carriers with the purpose of dealing with car shortage and seeing that troops, war materials and necessary supplies are moved promptly. The creation of the new division, which is the first definite government step for permanent supervision over traffic movements, is in accordance with the car service act, approved May 23, amending the act to regulate commerce.

Shippers from the southeast and the Pacific northwest, recently told the commission that thousands of carloads of lumber and other commodities in those sections have been held for months at mills and factories, because of failure to get cars for their movement.

The new division probably will place agents in many of the great traffic centers to adjust local shortages, congestions and other problems.

CUBS AFTER EVERS

CHICAGO, July 12.—Charles Weeghman, owner of the Chicago National baseball club, which is now at Philadelphia, telegraphed Manager John Evers today to get in touch with John Evers, second baseman, reported in dispatches as desiring a change from Boston.

Report was that Evers had gone to Philadelphia to negotiate with the management of the club of that city.

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Lowell's Modern Ventilated Theatre—Cool and Comfortable

TODAY, THURSDAY AND FRIDAY—July 12th, 13th, 14th

NEW BIG DOUBLE BILL OF PLAYS AND STARS

She Braved Shame to Shield Another—SEE

MME. PETROVA

In the 5-Act Metro Wonderplay

"THE SOUL of a MAGDALEN"

The Story of a Girl Who "Found" Herself

THE POPULAR SCREEN FAVORITE

EARLE WILLIAMS In "THE HAWK"

Adapted from the celebrated play which had such a successful run on Broadway—this screen drama is made more attractive, more human and more highly geared from an action stand-point than it could ever be on the stage.

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And United States Fighting Forces on French Soil. Exclusively Shown at This Theatre Only.

The Biggest Dancing Carnival

Every Held in New England. Auspices of Edward F. Quinn of Lowell

Miss Lowell Beauty Contest

First Prize—A Diamond Ring or a Hugh Loving Cup. Second Prize—Diamond Pendant or Wrist Watch. Third Prize—A Loving Cup.

Friday Evening, July 13—Lucky Day—KASINO

ADMISSION 25 CENTS. DANCING FREE.

Prizes to be awarded by the Hon. Jas. E. O'Donnell, Mayor of Lowell.

FRIDAY EVENING, JULY 20—The All Girl Show. FRIDAY

EVENING, JULY 27—Liberty Bond and Real Live Baby.

CROWN Theatre

Final Exhibition Tonight of the Extraordinary Screen

Analysis of Humanity in Story Form—

IDLE WIVES

It goes deep into the causes of the evils of the rich and the poor.

Starring MARY MACLAREN, LOIS WEBER, PHILLIPS SMALLEY and others.

Tomorrow will be too late—COME TONIGHT to see it!

PRICES—10c and 15c

LAKEVIEW

Week of July 9th

AFTERNOON AND EVENING

FREE ATTRACTION

SHARIFF ARABS

7 Native Sons of the Desert

AFTERNOON AND EVENING

Dancing, Boating and Bathing

All Amusements

CANOIE

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All This Week

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MERRY MINSTRELS

All Star Vaudeville Show

3.15 and 8.15 P. M.

ROYAL THEATRE

Shown today for the last time

"THE DISCARD"

Essanay Picture With All-Star Cast

Others

JEWEL THEATRE

SPECIAL TODAY—LAST TIMES

MARY MILES MINTER

In "The Innocence of Lizette"

Others

Usual Prices

Trolley and Boat Excursions

60c REVERE BEACH 60c \$1.10 Nantasket Beach \$1.10

Through special trolley cars

Leave Merrimack Square, Tuesdays and Thursdays at 8.15 a. m. Connections can be made with boat at Revere Beach for Bass Point.

A delightful trolley ride to Boston and thence by boat to Nantasket where the above round trip rate includes admission to the famous "Paragon" Park. Tickets are good on all regular cars and boats. (Sundays and Holidays excepted).

For Tickets and Information apply at Local Office Bay State St. Ry. Co.

FRENCH MINE SWEEPER SUNK; 11 LIVES LOST

PARIS, July 12.—The French mine sweeper *Jupit* struck a mine in the British channel Tuesday and sank. Eleven lives were lost.

DANCING PARTY UNDER AUSPICES OF YOUNG WOMEN'S HEBREW ASSOCIATION

A well attended and successful dancing party was held at the Pawtucket beachhouse in Pawtucket street last night under the auspices of the Young Women's Hebrew Association. Music for dancing was furnished by Markham's orchestra. One of the features of the evening was the auctioning off of a number of articles which had been donated for the purpose to the Y.W.H.A. The success of the affair was due to the untiring work of the following officials: Mrs. Isadore Green, president; Miss Dossie Nymann, vice president; Mrs. Sol Baker, treasurer; Miss May Levine, recording secretary; and Miss Lillian Tolman, financial secretary. The chairwoman of the committee having the dance directly in charge was Mrs. Sam Abrams.

MACHINISTS' TROUBLE SETTLED

A meeting of the members of local 335, Machinists' union was held in

Leather Workers' hall last evening and present at the meeting was organizer William Larkin of Boston. At the close of the meeting Mr. Larkin stated that all grievances existing between the machinists and the United States Cartridge Co. had been settled.

SIX-CENT FARE IN EFFECT NEXT SUNDAY

Posters were placed in all the electric cars on the local lines of the Bay State Street railway this morning announcing that the six-cent fare schedule would go into effect next Sunday, July 15.

From that date on the unit of fare will be six cents in each and every line on the system. There will be a number of arrangements whereby tickets may be bought at reduced prices. The "20-ride coupon" tickets will be sold for \$1, and these will be accepted in place of cash fares at all times within the city limits of Lowell, except on Sundays and holidays, and Saturdays after 1 p. m. Outside of the city limits, however, the regular six-cent fare will be charged.

Tickets for working men will remain the same. School children's tickets at a three-cent fare rate will

be sold for use in school seasons at certain hours.

The 20-ride tickets will have the same transfer privileges as the regular six-cent cash fares. As the passengers here in Lowell boarded the cars today they were given a booklet by the conductor which contained the schedule of rates which Lowell people would be interested in, and which also explained how the new system is to be worked. Passengers are asked to have the exact fare ready, and if not, to give the conductor a penny and a dime and receive a nickel in change. The advance rate of 20-ride tickets for \$1 will start tomorrow, and these may be obtained from conductors or from the local office in Merchants square.

FOUR DROWNED IN THE RIMOUSKI RIVER

Henri St. Gelais of 170 Riverside street, this city, has received news of the drowning of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Henri St. Gelais, aged 35 years and her daughter, aged 4 years, which occurred in the Rimouski river at Rimouski, Que., Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. St. Gelais, her daughter and 21 other men, women and children went

out on a sailing trip on the Rimouski river Sunday afternoon in a sail yacht owned and manned by Francois St. Gelais. Shortly after their departure a storm occurred and before the captain of the yacht was able to lower his sails his craft was caught in the gale and capsized.

U-BOAT SINKINGS HIT LOW RECORD

LONDON, July 12.—The sinking of 14 British merchantmen of more than 1600 tons is reported in the weekly summary of shipping losses issued yesterday. Three merchantmen of less than 1600 tons and seven fishing vessels also were sunk.

The official statement follows: Arrivals, 2898; sailings, 2798.

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charge will be called soon, and it is hoped that all preliminary arrangements will be well under way by Aug. 1.

FLAG RAISING AT BOY SCOUTS CAMP

The camp of the Boy Scouts in Cambridge was yesterday afternoon the scene of a pretty ceremony, the occasion being a flag raising. The affair was conducted by Camp Master Ernest Mountain and proved very interesting.

The speakers were Scout Commissioner J. W. Faulkner and Scout Executive Alex Williams. The call to the flag was sounded on the bugle and patriotic hymns were sung, the exercises closing with the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner."

The boys who are at camp are kept busy tilling the farm, which is conducted by the Boy Scouts, while some of them help the neighboring farmers in weeding, spraying and other light work about the farm. There are 75 boys in camp and they are having a most delightful time.

IN LOWELL

"Time to Save." Interest begins Saturday, July 14th. City Institution for Savings. See page 1, column 2.

CHERRY & WEBB'S

July Semi-Annual Clearance Sale

Sale Starts FRIDAY at 9.30 A. M.
Nothing Sold Before That Hour

CHERRY & WEBB SALES ARE MOST SUCCESSFUL AS THEY ALWAYS HAVE PLENTY OF ADVERTISED GOODS.

BUY COATS

You Will Never Regret. We Cannot Offer Such Bargains Again Till After The War

LOT NO. 1
46 Coats
Sold at \$6.98 to \$10. July Sale
\$4.98
Others **\$12.50, \$15.00 and \$18.00**
Values to \$35.00

LOT NO. 2
Coats
Coats selling to \$12.98, at..... **\$7.90**

LOT NO. 3
Coats
Coats selling \$12 to \$16, at..... **\$10**




Waists

Our mammoth stock of 3000 Waists slashed for this, our semi-annual. Come, expect bargains, you will not be disappointed.

90 Dozen \$1.00 Lingerie Waists..... **59c**
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27 Dozen \$2.50 Lingerie Waists..... **\$1.27**
\$3.00 Silk, Jap and Crepe Waists..... **\$1.98**
\$5.00 Heavy Georgette Waists..... **\$3.98**

EVERY WAIST MARKED DOWN



July Basement Bargains

35 Cloth Suits, values to \$18. Choice \$7.90	12 Doz. House Dresses, values to \$2.00. Choice \$1.29
60 Cloth Coats, values to \$12.98. Choice \$7.90	
46 Cloth Coats, values to \$9.00. Choice \$4.90	Full Size Bungalow Aprons. Reg. 75c for 39c \$2.98
50 Silk Dresses, values to \$4.00. Choice \$5.49	\$5.00 Sport Coats at..... \$2.98
25 Silk Kimonos, values to \$4.00. Choice \$1.98	\$7.50 Raincoats at..... \$4.90
35 Bath Robes, values to \$5.00. Choice \$2.90	\$5.00 Raincoats at..... \$2.90
75 Children's Coats, values to \$12. Choice \$5.00	\$3.00 Wash Dresses for..... \$1.90
50 Children's Coats, values to \$5. Choice \$2.90	Children's \$1.50 Wash Dresses..... 79c
35 Children's Coats, values to \$3. Choice \$1.90	Children's 75c Wash Dresses..... 39c
50 Bathing Suits, values to \$3.00. Choice \$1.98	\$3.00 Cloth Skirts..... \$1.69
75 Bathing Suits, values to \$2.00. Choice \$1.49	\$6.00 Wash Dresses..... \$3.90
All Wool Sweaters, values to \$5. Choice \$3.90	
10 Doz. House Dresses, values to \$1.75. Choice 79c	

Twice each year we clear our racks in preparation for the advancing season. A drastic mark down of every garment in stock, no exceptions. Women for miles around wait for this Big Saving Sale.

WE ARE CLOSED ALL THURSDAY MARKING DOWN AND ARRANGING THIS MONSTER STOCK FOR FINAL CLEARANCE

Women's and Misses' Suits, Coats, Dresses, Skirts, Waists, Costumes and Children's Garments

At Most Radical Reductions, Prices Which Mean Losses to Us and Profits to You.

Sweaters

62 Sweaters, silk fibre, sold at \$6.00. Choice
\$3.98
All Sweaters Reduced



\$1.00 Table

On this table we have thrown Dresses, Coats, Waists and Costumes. Some were \$10 and \$12.

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400 SUITS TO BE SACRIFICED

Silks, Serges, Poplins, Checks and Poirer Twills. You will thank yourself for buying one of these fine suits. Never again these qualities at such ridiculous prices.

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COSTUMES and DRESSES

3000 Dresses in this sale. We quote you quantity to give you some idea of the assortment. Silks, Muslins, Georgettes Crepes, both Afternoon and Evening Dresses are slashed in price.

276 VOILE AND LAWN AND LINEN DRESSES Selling from \$6.75 to \$10.00. Choice \$4.90	182 VOILE, LINEN BEACH CLOTH And Rajah Material, styles that we are famous for. Sold at \$12. Choice \$6.90	50 Silk Dresses, marked from \$12.50 to \$8.90 100 Silk Dresses, marked from \$15.00 to \$10 118 Dresses, marked from \$25.00 to \$18.50
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500 Silk and Novelty Skirts are marked regardless of cost for quick selling. **\$5.00** for those that sold to \$8.50

122 SKIRTS
In Poplin and Serge, **\$5.00**
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Large Waist Bands.

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INSURANCE FOR ARMY AND NAVY

In the old days when our country called men to defend the flag, they responded, not knowing what would become of their dear ones, in case they themselves fell in battle.

Congress might or might not provide for the dependent parents or the helpless widows and orphans by granting a modicum of a pension. This led to injustice, hardship and pension scandals.

The present administration wisely plans to avoid injustice and improvidence so far as may be, by insuring the lives of the men called to the colors, just as it insured the ships that ran the gauntlet of the submarines in the ocean war zone.

The tentative plan contemplated would insure each soldier and sailor for \$4000 without cost to himself. A scale of indemnities is also worked out to cover various injuries a man may receive during war time. Such insurance would take care of the man if he is wounded and survives, and would make some provision for his family if he dies from wounds.

This plan may be expensive, but it is warranted, wise and just. Why should the men called to the front be compelled to abandon home, business and friends and even give his life if need be, without any more consideration than a mere pittance barely one-third, possibly not one-twentieth of what he could earn at home.

The young men who are to be drafted are—or most of them are—protected by the workmen's compensation act. It would be unfair to call them to a service in which the hazards are immeasurably greater and leave them without any protection.

The men will fight with better spirit knowing that if they meet the fate of many on the battlefield, their dependents will be provided for. Congress is voting large amounts to other purposes, necessary of course, but many of them are not as imperative as this step to see that there will be a government insurance policy for every soldier and sailor. It is a big proposition but one which the wealthiest nation in the world should not hesitate to adopt. It will pay the government in the long run and at the same time show some appreciation of the men who offer their lives to the country. No insurance company will want such business unless under a government guarantee.

BRAZIL AN IMPORTANT FACTOR

Brazil has not declared war on Germany but she has severed relations with that government and joined the United States in keeping the South Atlantic free from raiders and submarines. In taking this step Brazil has shown good judgment. She will strengthen her position as the friend of the United States and of the Entente Allies and will have the honor of being on the right side in the world's war for democracy.

Leaving out of account that Brazil has the biggest population in South America and so has great potential man-power for war purposes, there remains the fact that she has a rather good and well trained navy which can be of great service in assisting to patrol the south Atlantic against incursions of German raiders and German submarines. Add to this her seizure of 150,000 tons of German ships in her harbors and Brazilian assistance on the seas assumes important proportions. But there is even more to be taken into consideration. Brazil is one of the great food reservoirs of the world. The fact that she is practically in the war now means that she will do all in her power to help feed the allied nations of Europe and this is one of the most important jobs of all should the task of feeding the Allies prove too much for the United States. Brazil can render most valuable assistance.

STAMP OUT THE I. W. W.

As might have been expected the I. W. W., an organization that never made any secret of its revolutionary intentions, has come out to oppose the government in Arizona and Idaho. If they succeed in either place the organization will be heard from in other states. In Arizona the disturbers of this type were loaded on cars and taken to a distance with a solemn injunction not to return. While in Idaho they caused trouble by undertaking to oppose the hauling of lumber for the government. The federal troops have been called to preserve order, but that is not sufficient in such a case. The I. W. W. is in a conspiracy against the government and should be proceeded against as avowed enemies. The treatment accorded to Emma Goldman and Mr. Berkman would be too lenient for them.

RUSSIA'S SMASHING BLOWS

Russia comes back gloriously on the eastern battle front where she is delivering smashing blows to the German lines. The capture of Halicz brings her to the gates of Lemberg and the separation of the German and Austrian armies is one of the greatest strategic victories of the war. It is sure to be followed by further advances and in all probability Lemberg will fall. The Russian enthusiasm in the war has become so great that the civilians are organizing "storm battalions" and even the women demand that they shall be allowed to enlist for service in the field.

It is to be hoped that nothing will happen to dampen the ardor of the Russian army and people until final victory be won.

PUBLIC PLAYGROUNDS

The opening of our public playgrounds offers an opportunity for the younger children to learn something useful and at the same time keep out of danger and mischief. Apropos of this subject it may be noted that a committee of the Women's Patriotic League in Boston is conducting a course of lectures intended to qualify girls for recreation leadership, a specialty that is much sought after at the present time. The public playgrounds under skilful leadership are a great boon to children.

ANARCHISTS SENTENCED

Emma Goldman and Alexander Berkman, two noted anarchists, have been sentenced to the full penalty of the law on the charge of conspiring to defeat the draft law. They claim this is a curtailment of their right of free speech. We have repeatedly stated that no anarchist should be allowed to exist outside a prison cell on American soil. For the next two years these two agitators who oppose all government will have an opportunity to study the distinction between liberty and license. Both should have been shut up years ago.

BOSTON POTATO PATCH

The Boston potato patch costs \$500 per week to maintain. The potato bugs must be numerous and hard to kill. The payroll of the executive committee of the Public Safety board is \$500 a month and that of the agricultural committee \$3500 per month. As the sum of \$70,000 had been appropriated for this public safety board, it will require substantial returns in the potato patch to show a balance on the right side of the ledger. There are some municipal bodies worse than one that does little or nothing.

That is a good plan adopted to keep the street department informed on defects in sidewalks. The police cover all the sidewalks in the city and it will give them very little extra trouble to make a note of any dangerous defect. The amount of money paid annually in claims has been much too high and it is hoped that from this time forward, it will be reduced.

An automobile ran into the Merrimack river near Kenwood the other night. The chauffeur escaped but he might have met a worse fate if he had run over the precipice at First street. The First street boulevard on the lower level will be less dangerous, but it still exists only on paper. This is the time when the boulevard should be graded.

It is encouraging to find Austria showing some inclination to assert her existence beyond the pleasure of the Kaiser to use her as the pawn of his ambition. Unless Austria is careful she will form part of Germany

after the war. Germany will annex her allies if she can do nothing else.

It is rather remarkable that the province of Quebec should oppose conscription so firmly as it does, considering the fact that France needs all the relief that can be sent. The Canadians are helping France quite as much as England.

SEEN AND HEARD

Some people find it rather difficult to keep track of their thoughts.

A girl may have a dozen fellows and a cozy corner in her heart for all of them.

And now it remains for President Wilson to say if the "spirit" shall be broken in the following lines by our dear old friend Omar:
A book of verses underneath the bough,
A jug of wine, a loaf of bread—and
Thou beside me singing in the wilderness—
Oh, Wilderness were Paradise now!

Very Poor Judgment

Why is it necessary when thoroughfares are being repaired to slip up a mile or two at a time necessitating a detour or one of those signs reading "passable but not safe"? This is the question uppermost in the minds of the autoist as he encounters one of those big gaps in the road and the

A Lowell Man is Now Very Happy

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Him to Health.

There are many things to be learned from experience. Among them is the fact that stomach trouble, which may be either inherited or acquired, and which produces, indigestion, dyspepsia, palpitation of the heart, gas, or a bloated feeling, coated tongue, headaches, backache, pains in the side, bad breath, liver and kidney trouble, or rheumatism can be most successfully treated by the new herbal stomach remedy, Plant Juice.

This truly remarkable preparation is a peculiar combination of wonderful effectiveness, manufactured from medicinal roots, herbs, barks and berries, which are gathered especially for it.

That Plant Juice is bearing out the reputation established in other cities, it is only necessary to read the statements of local people who have been restored to health after they thought there was no relief.

Among these is the signed statement of Mr. S. M. Prescott, who resides at No. 29 Campos Avenue, and has lived in Lowell for a number of years. He gave the following: "For over a year I had been greatly troubled with acidity of the stomach and indigestion. I was bloated with gas, and had a heavy, feeling in the pit of my stomach like a lump of lead; I had headaches, was very nervous and dizzy, could not sleep at night, and always felt tired out; I had no ambition or energy to do anything; I was so constipated that I had to be always dosing with some kind of a laxative which never did me any real good. I read in the daily papers of people who had been relieved of the same symptoms I had, by Plant Juice, and decided to give it a trial. Now I am feeling much better in every way; I have a fine appetite for my meals and am able to digest my food; I sleep well at night and feel rested and refreshed in the morning; my bowels are regular and I have no more headaches or dizzy spells. I never felt better."

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average autoist comes to the conclusion that it is nothing but plain "boneheadness." And because of our feelings we cannot possibly quarrel with the average autoist, for persons of the same mind rarely quarrel. We are not prepared to state that the highway commission is responsible for this method of road repairing, but it certainly appeals to us as being decidedly poor judgment on

somebody's part. Take, for instance, that elongated hole in the road between here and Lawrence. Our own commissioner of streets has been criticized for the manner in which certain street work has been done and that criticism has been doubled because of work he hasn't done. The fact remains, however, that neither the present commissioner or others of the same title who preceded him have ever been guilty of exercising as poor judgment as is being made manifest on the Lawrence road. And if you wish to go further you can find an even greater example of bonehead road work, and we respectfully refer you to the two miles or so of excavation on the main road between Lawrence and Haverhill. The work can be done in short takes, as they say in the contracting room, just as well as by tearing up a great stretch necessitating a two or three mile detour or usage of car tracks at the risk of one's life. Then, again, on these great stretches of broken road we have seen as few as four or five men employed and just for that the work extended for years. It looks as if somebody was sorely in need of a few road work lessons from Paul Hannagan of Lawrence.

Henry David Thoreau
Just 100 years ago today Henry David Thoreau, writer, philosopher, naturalist and individualist, was born in Concord, Mass. He was a lover of his intimate acquaintance with the rivers and river banks in and around Lowell. It is always pleasant and interesting to recall his story of "A Week on the Concord and Merrimack Rivers."

Thoreau was born July 12, 1817, at Concord, of French parentage. From his early boyhood he was a lover of the woods and the peaceful country town in which he spent practically all his life was especially suitable for the fostering of that intimacy of natural life which was his good fortune to have. He was graduated from Harvard in 1837, and was not considered unusually brilliant in any of his courses. Upon his graduation he announced that he did not intend to follow any special profession because he thought that a man should spend as little time as possible in the pursuit of money, and that his fortune was assured. But Thoreau said that he had no intention of doing over again what he had once accomplished. Life was too short.

At any rate, he started to teach school with his brother, but this he gave up in a short time. His father was a manufacturer of lead pencils, and Henry's interest turned to this for a while. He succeeded in making a pencil that was the equal of the best London manufacture, and his friends congratulated him now that his fortune was assured. But Thoreau said that he had no intention of doing over again what he had once accomplished. Life was too short.

Thoreau was a great walker, and nothing delighted him more than a long stroll in the woods and fields. He became intimately acquainted with the topography of the land around Concord, and this combined with an excellent knowledge of mathematics, naturally led to his becoming a surveyor. He was successful in his work, and he had a very real livelihood earning profession in his life it was this. But Thoreau was never a rich man, because he believed that a man should live as cheaply as possible, and find wealth in the things of Nature. In the course of his life he wrote numerous magazine articles and letters to his probably most intimate friend, Emerson. But these were not collected and published until after his death, and the only two books which he did publish were "Walden" and "A Week on the Concord and Merrimack Rivers." It is in the latter that Lowell people have found the most interest. Thoreau and his brother left Concord

Aug. 31, 1839, for a week's journey in a homemade boat along the Concord and Merrimack rivers. Thoreau tells the story of the trip day by day, and every bit of it is well worth reading. But there are several instances in which the author pays particular attention to Lowell, and his remarks are of special interest to local readers. On the first evening of the trip, Saturday, Thoreau camped near Billerica, "on the west side of a little rising ground which in the spring forms an island in the river." In the course of the night Thoreau heard five bells in Lowell, and he makes the following comment: "There was a fire in Lowell, as we judged, this night, and we saw the horizon blazing, and heard the distant alarm-bells, as if were a faint tinkling music borne to these woods."

On Sunday the travelers were evidently talking about the steamboats in the river, and the remark following will be of interest in these days of Merrimack river navigation: "A small steamboat once sailed between Lowell and Nashua before the railroad was built."

On the same day the voyagers met two men on the bank of the Merrimack just above Lowell, who were lost in the woods and wanted to engage passage to Nashua on Thoreau's boat, but the latter was already crowded with supplies, and the request was refused. Thoreau then said: "Thus is the busiest merchant, though within sight of his Lowell, put to pilgrims' shifts and soon comes to staff and scrip and scallop shell."

Wednesday the voyagers had progressed to Manchester and Bedford in New Hampshire, and Thoreau remarks: "From Bedford and Merrimack have been loaded the bricks of which Lowell is made." It was worth while to see the place where Lowell was "dug out." Later on in the day he was evidently meditating on the possible ancient history of the place, and he says: "The monuments of heroes and the temples of the gods which may once have stood on the banks of this river are now, at any rate, returned to dust and primitive silence, the murmur of unchronicled nations has

died away along these shores, and once more Lowell and Manchester are on the trail of the Indian."

GERMAN PAPER ON MARKET
AMSTERDAM, July 12.—The radical Weener Zeitung, an old newspaper of Bremen, Germany, which it was reported was to be bought by the Krupp interests with the purpose of making it a Pan-German and annexationist organ, is on the market. The owners, however, say they will never agree to sell it to the Krupps.

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Middlesex ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin
and all other persons interested in the
estate of Frederick C. Chamberlain, late
of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument, pur-
porting to be the last will and testa-
ment of said deceased, has been pre-
sented to said Court, for Probate, by
Arthur J. Mettivel, who prays that
said instrument be admitted to probate
him, the executor therein named, with
out giving a surety on his official
bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a
Probate Court, to be held at Lowell
in said County of Middlesex, on the
seventeenth day of July, A. D. 1914,
at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to argue

And said postiffiter is hereby di-
rected to give public notice thereof,
by publishing this citation, once in
each week for three successive weeks,
in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper pub-
lished in Lowell, the last publication
being on the day of the date of said
Court, and by mailing postpaid, and
delivering a copy of this citation to
all known persons interested in the
cause, seven days at least before
said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire,
First Judge of said Court, this
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President Says Business Men
Must be Just as Patriotic
as Men at Front

Nation's Fate at Stake—One
Price to Government and
People

WASHINGTON, July 12.—President Wilson contributed an unexpected chapter to the conference over steel prices participated in by representatives of the government and the presidents of the great companies manufacturing that product yesterday afternoon.

Pending a decision regarding the terms which the government is to pay for its war munitions and that of its allies, the president issued an address to the mine owners and manufacturers of the country, which will probably do more to settle the controversy over cost of production and profits than any previous undertaking on the part of the government.

Patriotism vs. Profits
The president did not specifically mention the steel situation. While his address is directed at mine owners and manufacturers generally, the sum and substance of it is that all persons engaged in producing and manufacturing war materials and supplies for domestic use should perform "a great duty, a great privilege," by subordinating profit-making to patriotism.

"Patriotism," says the president, "has nothing to do with profits in a case like this. Patriotism and profits ought

never in the present circumstances be mentioned together. Patriotism leaves profits out of the question."

Commenting on the assertion that business must be paid more than a "just price," the president says, "Do they (business men) mean that just must be paid, must be believed to make your contribution to the war? Do they mean that you will not bring a drop of blood nor a tear, when the whole world is in travail and men everywhere depend upon and call to you to bring them out of bondage and to make the world a place to live in again amidst peace and justice?"

The statement follows in full:
"The President's Appeal
"My Fellow Countrymen—The government is about to attempt to determine the prices at which it will ask you to furnish various supplies which are necessary for the prosecution of the war and the various industries which are needed in the internal and external by which the war must be sustained.
"We shall, of course, try to determine the prices at which to the best advantage of the nation as a whole; but justice is easier to speak of than to arrive at, and there are some who are ready in mind while this particular problem of justice is being worked out.
"Therefore, take the liberty of stating very candidly my own view of the situation and of the principles which should guide both the government and the mine owners and manufacturers of the country in this difficult matter."

A Just Price
"A just price must, of course, be paid for everything the government buys. By a just price I mean a price which will enable the industries concerned in a high state of efficiency, provide a living for those who conduct them, enable them to pay good wages and to expand their operations and to time become necessary as the stupendous undertakings of this great war develop.
"We do not wish or reasonably do less than pay such prices. They are necessary for the maintenance and development of industry, and the maintenance and development of industry are necessary for the great task we have in hand.
"But I think we shall not surround the matter with a mist of sentiment. Facts are our masters now. We ought not to put the acceptance of such prices as a condition of patriotism.
"Patriotism has nothing to do with profits in a case like this. Patriotism and profits ought never to be mentioned together. Patriotism leaves profits out of the question. It is perfectly proper to discuss profits as a matter of business, with a view to maintaining the integrity of the industry and the efficiency of labor in these trying months when the liberty of free men everywhere and of industry itself trembles in the balance and it is essential to discuss them as a motive for helping to serve and save our country."

Take No Toll of Heroism
"Patriotism leaves profits out of the question. In these days of our supreme trial, when we are sending hundreds of thousands to the front and seeking to give them a great cause, no true man who stays behind to work for them and sustain them by his labor will ask himself what he is personally going to make out of that labor.
"No true patriot will permit himself to take toll of the heroism in the shedding of their blood. He will give as freely and with as unselfish self-sacrifice as they. When they are given good wages, we will hear it insisted that more than a just price, more than a price that will sustain our industries, must be paid. It is necessary to pay very liberal and unusual profits in order to stimulate production; that nothing but pecuniary rewards will do—no liberation of the world.
"I take it for granted that those who argue thus do not stop to think what that means. Do they mean that you must be paid, must be bribed, to make your contribution, a contribution that costs you neither a drop of blood nor a tear, when the whole

world is in travail and men everywhere depend upon and call to you to bring them out of bondage and to make the world a place to live in again amidst peace and justice?"

No Bargain With Men on Field
"Do they mean that you will exact a price for a bargain with the men who are enduring the agony of this war on the battlefield, in the trenches, amidst the lurking dangers of the stake with the bereaved women and pitiful children, before you will come forward to do your duty and give some part of your life, in easy peace, to the victors of the war?"

"Of course, you will not. It is inconceivable that the things we are fighting for, the things we have pledged our fortunes, our lives, our sacred rights of justice and fair dealing and the peace of nations.
"Your patriotism is of the same self-denying stuff as the patriotism of the men who are in the trenches, in the next, to pay for this war; let us see to it that for every dollar that goes to the victors, a dollar's worth of the sound stuff they need."
Condemns Ship Owners
"Let me turn for a moment to the shipowners of the United States and other countries whose example they have followed, and ask them if they realize what obstacles—what almost insuperable obstacles—they have placed in the way of the successful prosecution of this war by the ocean freight rates they have been exacting. They are doing this by exacting high freight charges can do to make the war a failure, to make it impossible.
"I do not say that they realize this or intend it. The thing has happened naturally enough, because the commercial processes which are in operation to see that the goods they have without sufficient thought been continued into a period where they have no proper place. I am sorry to state a fact and stating it in order that attention may be fixed upon it.
"The fact is that the rates have taken the most effective means in their power to defeat the armies engaged against Germany when they have been asked to take it for granted, count upon them to reconsider the whole matter. It is high time. The extra hazards are covered by risk-taking. I am sorry to state a fact and stating it in order that attention may be fixed upon it.
"I know, and you know, what response to this great challenge of duty and of opportunity the nation will expect of you and know what response you will make.
"Those who do not respond, who do not respond in the spirit of those who have gone to the front, who are on bloody fields far away, may safely be left to be dealt with by opinion and the law for those things.
"I am dealing with the matter thus publicly and frankly, not because I have any doubt as to the response of the nation, but only in order that in all our thinking and in all our dealings with another we may move in a perfectly clear air of mutual understanding."

Public Part of Government
"And there is something that we must add to our thinking. The public is now as much part of the government as are the army and navy themselves. Their whole lives and all their activities are now mobilized and in service for the accomplishment of the nation's task in this war. It is in such circumstances that it is necessary to distinguish between industrial purchases made by the government and industrial purchases made by the individuals. It is just as much our duty to sustain the industries of the country, as the industries that contribute to its welfare and to sustain our forces in the field and on the sea. We must make the prices to the public the same as prices to the government."

NO DEFINITE QUOTA FOR TOWN OF TEWKSBURY
WASHINGTON, July 12.—The conditions under which such towns as Tewksbury, Concord and Foxboro, which contain large state institutions, are to be called on to provide their quotas for the selective draft are indicated in a letter received yesterday by Rogers from Provost Marshal Gen. Crowder.
The counting of institutional inmates as parts of a town's population has been the subject of correspondence between Mr. Rogers and Gen. Crowder. Gen. Crowder, director of enrollment, and it was feared that there would not be sufficient time to look up the legal difficulties of such inmates and debit them to their home towns.
As to Tewksbury, in particular, Gen. Crowder says it is one of six towns composing Division 19, and there will be no apportionment of either a quota or a net quota for a unit so small as the town of Tewksbury, with an approximate population of 5255. The town will probably be considered a part of the division.
"Every effort," concludes Gen. Crowder, "has been made in the preparation of the regulations and supplementary instructions as obvious as far as possible, any inequitable distribution of the draft in cases similar to the one you mention."

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL
The regular meeting of Clan Grant, O.S.C., was held last night in Grafton hall and despite the stormy weather there was a large attendance of members. Several candidates were initiated and they will be initiated at the next meeting. Much interest is being taken by the members in the fund drive which is to be held on July 21 at Burnham park, near Glen Forest. The quarterly report of the officers showed that the membership had increased while the finances are in good condition.
The Dames of Malta, Dotsy Ross Sisterhood, held the regular meeting of the staff association, Tuesday, at the home of Mrs. Walter Siddell, 30 North Street. After the meeting there was over refreshments were served and Miss Foye played the piano. Mrs. DeLong, Mrs. North and Mrs. Siddell were the hostesses.

BEIRKMAN BEGINS SENTENCE
ATLANTA, Ga., July 12.—Alexander Beirman, convicted Monday in a federal court in New York of conspiracy to obstruct the collection of taxes, was sentenced to two years imprisonment and to pay a fine of \$10,000, began serving his sentence in the Atlanta federal penitentiary yesterday.
SERVES RED CROSS WITHOUT PAY
WASHINGTON, July 12.—John D. Ryan, president of the Anaconda Copper Co., has joined the group of industrial executives who are volunteering to serve the Red Cross during the war without compensation and has been assigned as director-general of military relief. He will be in charge of all the relief work for the fighting forces.

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SWEDEN OBJECTS TO U.S. ACTION

STOCKHOLM, July 12.—General resentment and indignation has been aroused in Sweden by a news dispatch from Washington giving what is termed "an official report to the government" on Sweden's exports and imports. The report, which was authorized by the Swedish government, declares in brief that Sweden exported to Germany great quantities of materials for making munitions, including especially iron ore, ferromanganese, manganese, copper, sulphur, zinc and wood pulp and imported from America to replace the surplus exported.

Even newspapers most friendly to America in the absence of indignant condemnation of these charges. The Associated Press received from an authoritative source the following statement:
"It is no secret that we are exporting iron ore. We have been exporting it for more than twenty years. It is our chief article of export. But we export also to England and other countries, and the proportions of our exports remain nearly the same as before the war. We export wood pulp to Germany but also to America, France, Italy and other countries. We export ferromanganese to Germany and also to England and Russia. The statement that we are exporting sulphur and zinc to Germany is a ridiculous error. We must import sulphur from our own mines, and Germany produces more zinc than she uses.
"Germany brings us coal in her own ships without risk to us. We do not understand how America, which has so much coal, can object to our taking such an attitude toward us."

**AUTO DROPS INTO RIVER
TWO DROWNED**
NORTH KITTERY, Me., July 12.—An automobile operated by Rev. Fr. Joseph F. Creedon of Laconia, N. H., crashed through the rail of the mill bridge over Spruce creek late yesterday, causing the death of John Crowe, aged 70 years, of East Jaffrey, N. H., and his daughter, Miss Mary Crowe, aged 50 years. Rev. Mr. Creedon, of North Kittery, N. H., and Miss Mary Hurley of Manchester, N. H., who were also in the car, were taken to the Portsmouth hospital in an unconscious condition, but it was believed they would recover. Father Creedon was suffering from minor injuries. A party of sailors from the Portsmouth navy yard and other automobilists helped rescue the party from the car, and recovered the bodies of Mr. Crowe and his daughter. The bridge was being repaired and Father Creedon said he believed the machine slipped down on the rain-soaked road into a loose plank, causing the automobile to swerve into the fall. The car was going west on the road when it fell into a water which at this point is 12 feet deep. Mr. Crowe and his daughter were pinned beneath the car as it turned upside down. Father Creedon fell clear of the wreckage and when he came to the surface he found Father Griffin and Miss Hurley floating beside him, both unconscious.
Being a good swimmer, he helped keep his companions afloat and had been taking exercise along the road assisted a party of citizens living nearby in hauling the machine out of the water. Father Griffin and Miss Hurley were insensible and were hurried to the Portsmouth hospital in motor cars. Father Griffin, however, although painfully hurt, remained on the scene to direct the search for the two missing inmates of the car. Deputy Sheriff James K. Boardman of New York accompanied Father Creedon to the police court, where he was charged with manslaughter, pending the result of an inquest which will be held today.

CAMPS ARE FLOODED AT FRAMINGHAM
FRAMINGHAM, July 12.—Men having business at either the camp of the 8th or 9th Infantry, M.G., especially if they came late in the afternoon, had to get home before the water began to do considerable damage to the headquarters, the water being from six to seven inches deep, after the deluge shortly after dinner.
The regular schedule was followed at the camp of the 8th in the forenoon, but in the afternoon all drills and exercises had to be abandoned. In many instances, where the tents were pitched in low land, the men were kept busy in trying to keep their tents clear of water, and one member of Co. A, whose tent was a foot under water, jokingly suggested calling out the fire department to "pump out the water." Another suggested sending for a boat to get the men out of the water. The men were kept busy in trying to keep their tents clear of water, and one member of Co. A, whose tent was a foot under water, jokingly suggested calling out the fire department to "pump out the water." Another suggested sending for a boat to get the men out of the water. The men were kept busy in trying to keep their tents clear of water, and one member of Co. A, whose tent was a foot under water, jokingly suggested calling out the fire department to "pump out the water." Another suggested sending for a boat to get the men out of the water.

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LOWELL NIGHT AT THE HARVARD STADIUM

Lowell will have her night at "Caliban" in the Harvard stadium this evening, and from the present outlook a large delegation from the Spindle city will take in the trip. Tickets have been on sale at Liggett's drug store, 69 Merrimack street all week, and although there has been a good demand for seats, there are still many excellent reserved seats ready for purchasers.
The Lowell party will go to Boston on the 8:22 train, and this will give ample time to reach the stadium by 8:30 when the performance begins. The masque will be over in time to enable Lowell people to catch the 11:40 train home. The prices range from 50 cents to \$2.50 and all seats are reserved.

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If you want to keep your hair in good condition, be careful what you wash it with.
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Simply moisten your hair with water and rub it in. One or two teaspoonfuls will make an abundance of rich, creamy lather, and cleanses the hair and scalp thoroughly. The lather rinses out easily and removes every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves it fine and silky, bright, fluffy and easy to manage.
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Karo Corn Syrup, can. 10c

URGENT POWER TO FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION TO CONTROL PAPER PRODUCTION
ASHEVILLE, N. C., July 12.—The Southern Newspaper Publishers' association closed its fifteenth annual convention here last night, adopted resolutions urging the federal government to take action to control the production of newspaper paper, pool its distribution and fix its price.
NAVAL OFFICERS DENY REPORT OF SUBMARINE NEAR SANTOS
RIO JANEIRO, July 12.—The report that a submarine base had been discovered near Santos is denied by naval officials.
CONTINUE SEARCH FOR BODY
ST. JOHNSBURY, Vt., July 12.—What was done with the body of eight-year-old Alice Bradshaw to whose murder Elizabeth Hicks and Mrs. Alvin Keniston are alleged to have confessed, was as much of a mystery to the authorities today as ever. One who disappeared a week ago, and who was found in the vicinity of her home and fields, woods and ponds covering a wide area have been searched by large parties without the finding of a single clue.

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